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**HUNS ISSUE FALSE
AMERICAN PASSPORTS**

Have Established Plant in
 Antwerp to Make Forged
 Documents for Spies

Washington, July 5.—That a plant for the systematic forging of American passports to be supplied to German spies has been established in Antwerp, is the assertion made by an official bureau of the French government, according to a dispatch received at the state department from Walter H. Page, American ambassador at London.

The state department will order a thorough inquiry to determine where this plant is located and will use its utmost efforts to break up the fraudulent business. Twice before the assertion has been made to the state department that American passports were being systematically forged for the use of Germans, and once a German spy under arrest in London confessed that he had been supplied with one of these fraudulent passports manufactured by an officer of the German government.

This time the charge is made by the French passport bureau in London, which is under direct charge of the French military authorities in Paris. As a result of the existence of this plant in Antwerp, the French passport bureau will refuse henceforth to supply French passports to Americans of German, Austro-Hungarian or Turkish origin.

The state department is fearful lest a wholesale manufacture of fraudulent American passports will destroy the value of the American passport as a protection in the warring countries of Europe. Extreme precautions have been taken in this country to prevent the issuance of passports obtained through fraud, as was done by the German conspirators in New York several months ago.

However, realizing that such an issue would cause serious difficulties in maintaining friendly relations with the German government if that government should be shown to have a hand in the matter, the state department has been loath to act until it had absolute information.

Here is the report made by the state department:

"The department of state has received a telegram, of June 23 from the American ambassador at London, in which he reports that the French passport bureau there, which is under direct control of the military authorities in Paris, refuses to issue passports henceforth held by naturalized citizens of the United States of German, Austro-Hungarian or Turkish origin. The ground given for this refusal is that there is a plant for the forging of American passports in Antwerp. Without the use of a French consul, no one can go to France from Great Britain."

**ADMITS HE PLACED
BOMB IN CAPITOL**

Holt Was at Railway Station in
 Washington When Explosion Occurred

Glen Cove, N. Y., July 5.—Frank Holt, the former instructor at Cornell university, who attempted to assassinate J. P. Morgan at East Isle, Mr. Morgan's summer home, here on Saturday, confessed on Saturday night that he was the man who set the bomb which exploded in the United States Capitol on Friday night.

Thos. Tunney, captain of the bomb and anarchist squad of detectives of the New York police department, and W. E. Luyater, the justice of the peace before whom Holt was arraigned last on Saturday, obtained the confession. To do so, they intimated, they had to employ the so-called "third degree" methods of the police.

Holt, by his confession and the detailed description of bombs he used, stamped himself as an expert on the use of explosives, the police assert.

The belief is held that Holt has been connected with other bomb outrages which have baffled the police, notably the placing of the bombs which were found recently in the grounds of Andrew Carnegie's Fifth avenue residence in New York city.

Three sticks of dynamite bound together, some match heads placed in a hole in one of the stocks, which Holt had scooped out with his knife; a bottle of sulphuric acid, in the neck of which there was inserted a cork carefully measured and of a kind previously tested—such was the bomb which Holt placed in the wing of the Capitol at 4 o'clock on Friday. Holt has asserted by tests that the acid would eat its way through the cork in about eight hours. Therefore, he estimated that the bomb would explode about midnight. He wanted to make certain that it would explode, so he took a stroll about Washington, and early in the evening went to the Union station, a few blocks away from the Capitol, and waited there, where he heard the explosion.

He took a train to New York. Arriving there, he lost little time taking another train for Glen Cove. Several sticks of the dynamite left over from the making of the Washington bomb were in his suit case, and these he took with him to Glen Cove.

One of the sticks he stuck into his pocket, with two loaded revolvers, for use, if needed, in his mission at the Morgan home. It was not used, but was found when he was locked up.

Holt said he spent some time in and about the Capitol looking for a spot to place his bomb where it would cause no injury to anyone and no great damage.

"I did not want to hurt anybody," he said. "I just wanted to call the attention of the nation to the terrible murders committed in Europe."

**HUNS' ACCOUNT OF
NAVAL ENGAGEMENT**

Berlin, July 5.—The following official statement was issued on Saturday night:

"The admiralty reports that no portion of the light Baltic naval forces returning from outpost duty met, about six o'clock on the morning of July 2, Russian armored cruisers patrolling between Gothland and Windau (Russia). Isolated fighting developed, our weak forces attempting to draw the Russian vessels within range of the other German ships.

"In the course of the fighting the Albatross, a mine-layer, was unable to regain touch with her own forces. After two hours of heavy fighting against four armored cruisers, which continued firing with Swedish shells, the Albatross was compelled to ground in a sinking condition near Oestergarn, in Gothland. Twenty men were killed and twenty-seven wounded. The wounded were well tended by the Swedish officials."

**NO CONTRABAND ON
STEAMSHIP ADRIATIC**

New York, July 5.—Representatives of the White Star line ridicule a report that the steamship Adriatic, which sailed from New York on Wednesday, has been marked for destruction by German submarines. They deny the statement that the Adriatic is carrying contraband that would persuade the Germans to make special efforts to sink the vessel. The report is believed to have had its source in the fact that Sir Robert Borden, prime minister of Canada, and several other prominent Canadians are aboard.

**CRAIGARD SENT DOWN
BY GERMAN PIRATES**

London, July 5.—The British steamship Craigard, of 3,286 tons gross, was sunk on Saturday by a torpedo fired by a German submarine. The crew was landed at Plymouth.

The Craigard sailed from Galveston on June 3, and Newport News on June 11 for Havre, and the first suggestion that she had met with some mishap was when an empty lifeboat and another boat marked "Craigard, Leith," were towed into Penzance.

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Correspondent Describes the
 Landing of the "Kangaroos"
 and "Kiwis" at Dardanelles

London, June 5.—The Daily Express publishes the following from a correspondent who is serving with the royal naval division at the Dardanelles:

Every officer and man in the first landing parties of the Australian and New Zealand forces earned the V. C. over and over again.

Only those who have had to fight their way up the precipitous and cliffs of Gallipoli, to dash through veritable death trap gullies and gorges and beat down the strongest natural defences in the world can realize properly the overwhelming magnitude of the initial task undertaken with such amazing boldness and success by the sturdy sons and adopted sons of Australia and New Zealand. They forced a landing on an "impregnable" continent at a spot immediately opposite the one objective of all the invading forces and the key to Constantinople—viz., the forts of the Narrows.

Even we of the Royal Naval brigade who have endeavored to follow worthily in their footsteps and to help them retain and to increase the area of the land so gallantly seized cannot quite comprehend the burning flames of patriotism and self-sacrifice which—labeled rather than smothered by slight weary months of waiting in training centres and in Egypt—alone enabled the "Kangaroos" and the "Kiwis" to send the German-led Turks scampering in a frenzy of terror from the beach up the face of the cliffs and right away into the comparative security of their distant entrenchments.

True, the enemy's positions were shelled with great deliberation and attitude beforehand by the allied fleet, and no one is more enthusiastic than the Australians and New Zealanders regarding the wonderful gunnery of the ships. Still, there were hidden machine guns, mobile batteries and natural hiding places for troops that no artillery from the sea could destroy, however well directed by aeronautical observation.

Red tape methods of landing and attack under such conditions would have been utterly disastrous. It was the personal initiative, extraordinary dash, virility and reckless daredevilism of each individual invader that completely shattered the elaborately devised schemes of defence.

"Come on, you Australian kangaroos; we have been waiting for you for two months!" shouted some German officers to the occupants of one of the boats, but whatever forms of attack they had expected and prepared for, they certainly had not expected the invaders to throw off all their equipment, and even their tunics, under a hail of lead and shrapnel, to wade or swim ashore with little but their rifles and bayonets, to make a mad rush in their shirt sleeves at machine guns and lines of infantry, to chase the bewildered Turks up the face of the treacherous cliffs with primitive weapons such as sticks and stones, and to engage in hand-to-hand struggles which were bound to result in both combatants hurrying through space together to destruction.

These desperate and superbly heroic measures could certainly not have been anticipated by the German strategists, and it can hardly be wondered at that the Turks were utterly demoralized from the very outset. One Australian alone shot or bayoneted an entire machine gun section on the beach and "outed" the Maxim. He was shot through the jaw the next day.

The machine guns of the New Zealand brigade, commanded by Captain Wallingford—best known in England as Sergeant Major Wallingford, the wonderful Blesley marksman—also accomplished a fine feat when they rushed up one of the cliffs with their Maxims. When their rifles became too hot to handle they hurled lumps of sandstone and any other handy missiles at the flying Turks, walloped them with sticks, and eventually planted a Maxim on the ridge.

There they held it with their hands until a tripod could be brought up, the boiling water and hot cartridge cases meanwhile scalding and burning them as they moved down the enemy they had so dramatically routed. One of the men suddenly made a dash over the ridge.

"Come back, you idiot!" shouted a company officer, thinking the man had lost his head.

"It's all right, sir, he's one of the machine gun section," replied his mate; "he must have seen something worth going for, and will soon be back."

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Another was accidentally discovered stretched out stiff under a blanket among some bushes to resemble a corpse. A whole platoon of men marched past him without the least suspicion, but a corporal happened to glance casually and detected the "corpse" in the act of taking a pot-shot at them.

The greatest surprise of all, however, was when we potted off two snipers from a distance. We at first thought that they were disguised as women, but on going up to their bodies were greatly taken aback to find that they were women. The large quantity of spent ammunition at their side proved conclusively that these Amazons had been quite as persistent as those of the sex more usually associated with warfare.

**MAIL BAGS WERE NOT
RETURNED UNOPENED**

London, July 4.—The British foreign office in an official statement issued to-day, commenting on the charges that the Swedish mail steamships Bjerein and Torstein had been captured by the Germans and that mail from Russia and Sweden had been opened and the contents censored, says:

"This has been established beyond doubt, and it is desirable under the circumstances that it be generally known, in view of the wide publicity given to statements from German sources that the bags had been returned to the Swedish authorities unopened."

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CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, July 5.—The following casualty list was issued on Saturday night:

First Battalion—Killed in action: Lee-Cpl. Charles Haskell, Galt, Ont. Wounded: Pte. Harold Clarke (formerly 23rd battalion), Montreal.

Previously reported missing; now reported as having been admitted to hospital at Rouen, June 15: Cpl. Victor Bailey, England; Pte. Herbert Kennan, England; Pte. John Meyer, Norway.

Second Battalion—Died of wounds: Pte. E. J. Niddery, at Royal Victoria hospital, Netley, July 2, Hampton, Ont. Unofficially reported prisoner of war; previously reported missing: Pte. Geo. C. New, Carleton Place, Ont.

Third Battalion—Suffering from shock: Pte. Harry G. Waller (formerly 2nd battalion), Oshawa, Ont.

Prisoners of war at Magdeburg: Pte. John William Flanagan (previously reported missing), Winnipeg. Wounded: Lee-Cpl. Alfred Taylor (formerly 23rd battalion), Montreal.

Fourth Battalion—Killed in action: Pte. R. Saunders, Burlington, Ont. Pte. Albert Oakes, Burlington, Ont.

Eighth Battalion—Killed in action April 20; previously reported wounded: Cpl. Wm. Secord Poxer.

Missing; previously reported wounded: Pte. William Sargent, England; Pte. James Wood, England; Pte. Walter Rogers, Carleton Place, Ont.; Pte. Charles Evans, Winnipeg; Pte. Harry D. Parker, Long Beach, N. J.; Pte. Peter E. Hanson, Iowa, U. S. A.; Pte. Henry A. Stehman, Fort Francis, Ont.

Pte. Frank Linklater, Portage la Prairie, Man.; Pte. R. O'Dowd, Winnipeg; Pte. J. Earl McKinnon, Winnipeg; Pte. W. Webb, Winnipeg; Sgt. John Miller Shields, Winnipeg; Pte. A. L. Savard, Winnipeg.

Previously reported prisoner; now repatriated: Lieut. Wm. M. Hart, medical officer (formerly Depot Company, Army Medical Corps), Winnipeg.

Missing: Pte. James Wm. Mitchell, Winnipeg; Pte. H. V. Quinn, Winnipeg; Cpl. Garnett V. Ness, Kirkfield Park, Manitoba.

Suffering from gas: Pte. D. J. McLean, admitted to No. 3 Western General hospital, Cardiff, May 1, Winnipeg.

Unofficially reported prisoners: Pte. S. H. Sigurdson, St. James, Man.; Pte. John William Green, Brandon, Man.

Tenth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. John Elliott France (formerly 32nd), England; Pte. T. Davis, England; Pte. James Matthew Tait, England.

Fourteenth Battalion—Unofficially reported prisoner of war; previously reported missing: Pte. Bernard Gallagher (formerly 12th battalion), England.

Severely wounded, having suffered loss of memory: Lee-Cpl. Geo. Lajole, Montreal.

Wounded: Pte. Colin McLeod, St. Clair, Toronto.

Suffering from Gas: Pte. Herve Lathorne, Montreal.

Prisoner of war: Pte. A. Jones, Montreal.

Fifteenth Battalion—Wounded and prisoners of war at Oberhausen: Pte. John James Guther (previously reported missing), Sudbury, Ont.; Pte. Chas. H. I. McDonald (previously reported missing), Collingwood; Pte. Harry W. S. Cumming (previously reported missing), Toronto.

Pte. Philip S. Conibear (previously reported missing), Dresden, Ont.

Sixteenth Battalion—Died of wounds June 2: Pte. W. Stafford, Ashtown, England.

Unofficially reported prisoner of war: Pte. Samuel Arthur Gullbridge (previously reported missing), Victoria, B. C.

Headquarters Divisional Train—Wounded: Driver James Brown (gun shot, self-inflicted), Montreal.

First Field Co., Canadian Engineers—Believed dead: Sapper Stephen Frederick Robinson, Shediac, N. B.

Princess Patricia's—Suffering from shock and gas: Pte. John Young, Peterborough, Ont.

Wounded: Lee-Cpl. H. J. Jones, Windermere, B. C. (previously reported killed in action).

First Field Artillery—Slightly wounded but on duty: Major George Harrah Ralston (formerly 8th battalion), Port Hope, Ont.

Third Field Artillery—Seriously ill: Gnr. Wm. M. Watson, at No. 12 Stationary hospital, Rouen, June 23, Ketchikan, Ont.

Lord Strathcona's Horse—Wounded June 22: Pte. H. Charles Pawlett (formerly 6th battalion), Portage la Prairie.

New York, July 5.—In a striking analysis of Germany's military resources and the resisting powers of the Teutonic allies generally, the New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin says:

Side by side with the enormous and unexampled destruction of wealth by war, there is going on an equally unheard-of waste of human life. If the exhaustion on the financial side may tend to bring the conflict to a close, the drain on the available supply of men must, with at least equal certainty, make its long continuance impossible.

Hence the interest attaching to such a computation as that made by Hilarie Bell of the German and Austrian losses up to date. These he calculates to have reached a grand total of 3,750,000—that is, of men permanently removed from the field by death, capture or disablement. Hence the conclusion that the potential manhood for actual fighting of the Teutonic allies probably has been diminished from all causes within the first year by nearly one-half.

This is a highly significant statement, if true, and there happen to be some available statistics by which at least its probability may be tested. Leaving out of sight the Austrian contribution to the supply of "cannon fodder," we are on solid ground in quoting from the census of the German empire of Dec. 1, 1910. That showed a male population of 32,040,000 out of a total of 64,926,000.

But to ascertain the number of males of military age—that is, between eighteen and forty-five, available for service four years later, on Dec. 1, 1914—it obviously is necessary to start with those between the ages of fourteen and forty at the time of the census was taken. These are found to have numbered 14,415,039. After deduction for deaths, there is left a theoretical total of 14,073,526 males between eighteen and forty-five ready to bear arms last December. But from this there are other deductions to be made; some based on actual returns, others estimated from records of varying degrees of exactitude. To the former class belong the annual recollections of the military inspection boards, on the score of absolute or partial unfitness for military service, and these amounted in the four years to 551,131 men reducing the available total to 13,522,395.

There remains the more complex group of causes of disablement of men otherwise constitutionally capable, by disease and accidents. The statistical method of dealing with these may be indicated by the statement that while there are in Germany forty deaths per 10,000 per annum due to pulmonary consumption and diseases of the respiratory organs, medical authorities declare that five times as many persons are left by this same class of complaints in a state of impaired health which incapacitates them from military duty. Pushing the inquiry into a detailed examination of similar results from other forms of disease which permanently enfeeble a large proportion of those who survive, the attack and allowing for the steady increase with advancing age of the risks contingent on disease, there has been worked out a total loss of the military mill under this head of 3,400,000 men during the four years in question.

On the score of accidents in the pursuit of mechanical industry, on railroads, on the streets and highways and at sea, fairly accurate returns are available, and from these the conclusion is approximately trustworthy that 157,871 must be added to the previous total of disablement.

Hence the original total of over fourteen millions of men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five capable of bearing arms on December 1, 1914, is reduced to 9,969,512. But by that time, according to trustworthy returns, the German army musters, the attack and wounded, captured and sick a million and a half men; so that the disposable force of males of military age must be reduced to 8,000,000.

Even after assuming, however, that older or partially enfeebled men are sufficient for garrison duty, there remain the necessities of railroad service in the occupied territory as well as throughout the empire, of the telegraph and post office, of work in the arsenals and at the navy yards and of the force employed by private concerns in the fabrication of indispensable munitions of war. The draft made by all these services on the vigorous manhood of Germany has been placed at 2,000,000, so that the number of the physically fit available at the front could not have exceeded 6,000,000 at the beginning of the present year.

If the losses of the first five months of this year maintained the previous average of 200,000 a month, the effective strength of the German armies at the beginning of June could not have exceeded 5,000,000. It is probable, however, as can be ascertained, 5,000,000 of the two battle fronts. In other words, the reserve fighting strength of Germany, for offensive purposes at least, apparently does not exceed a million and a half of able-bodied men. If that be a fact, Mr. Bell's estimate errs rather on the side of moderation than of overstatement, and six months more of war must reduce Germany to a condition of military exhaustion.

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WILL GEN. RUZSKY BE MINISTER OF WAR?

London, July 5.—Nothing seems to be known as yet in Petrograd regarding the reason for the retirement of Gen. W. A. Soukhomlinoff, the Russian minister of war, who has been regarded as largely responsible for the creation of the modern Muscovite army. He reorganized and unified the forces, introducing a radical change in educating and training officers. The efficiency to which he had brought the army was considered to have been proven at the opening of the war by its rapid mobilization and its initial successes in Galicia. He also has done much for the aeroplane service and the artillery. By his achievements as a cavalry officer he won a gold sword at Plevna. Gen. A. P. Vernander, who will succeed Gen. Soukhomlinoff, has been adjutant of the ministry of war. It is believed his appointment will be only temporary, however. He is a distinguished engineer, responsible, among other things, for the fortifications of Warsaw west of the Vistula. There seems to be an impression in Petrograd that Gen. Ruzsky, who played a prominent part in the Russian conquest of Galicia, but gave up his command because of poor health, eventually may become minister of war, as he now has recovered and is regarded as one of the greatest strategists in Russia. He was in command of the forces which captured Lemberg in September.

From all of this, the conclusion would seem to be irresistible that Germany is facing the most critical phase of the struggle of the war, and that even should there be no exhaustion on the financial side, there are other forms of destitution with which even her marvellous energy may not be able to cope. It hardly is necessary to add that what is true of Germany in this connection is more emphatically true in regard to Austrian resources in men and economic capacity. The Russian reverses in Galicia may delay, but they hardly can prevent the breakdown of all the forces of the dual empire and the consequent narrowing of the contest to that of a life and death struggle for Germany.

AMERICANS IN BERLIN CELEBRATED FOURTH

Berlin, July 5.—More than 200 members of the American colony met yesterday afternoon to celebrate the Fourth of July. Instead of gathering at a suburban park, as in former years, the Americans were guests of Julius G. Lay, United States consul-general, and Mrs. Lay, who entertained them in the gardens connected with one of the city's hospitals.

The anonymous founder of the World Association of Friends, who placed yesterday upon the statue of Frederick the Great a wreath tied with the United States colors shrouded with crepe, had extended through the newspapers to Americans of German descent an invitation to attend a rival gathering at the suburb of Grunau, but there were few who answered the call.

FEEDING STARVING IN CAPITAL OF MEXICO

Washington, July 5.—With American Consul-General Shanklin and Charles J. O'Connor in Mexico City in charge of relief measures undertaken by the Red Cross with the aid of the United States government, officials to-day expected that they would set in motion steps to overcome the famine in that city. The fact that Mr. Stillman made no reference to disorders or to foreigners in Mexico City was taken here to indicate that the foreign element there had not been molested during fighting between the Carranza and the Zapata forces.

HOLIDAY WAS CELEBRATED QUIETLY AT WASHINGTON

Washington, July 5.—Independence Day was observed quietly here to-day. In the absence of President Wilson and the majority of the members of the cabinet, the celebration was devoid of the usual official character. All government activities were practically at a standstill. The day's programme, however, was crowned with a varied assortment of patriotic, athletic and other events.

MORE CANADIANS HAVE REACHED MOTHERLAND

Ottawa, July 5.—The Mississauga, according to a cable message received here, has arrived safely at Plymouth, Eng., with the following Canadian units on board: One company each of the 28th battalion, Ottawa, and the 47th battalion, Vancouver, the whole of the 39th battalion, Belleville, and the Canadian Dental corps. The men of the 35th and the 47th, it is understood, are to act as reinforcements for the Princess Patricia's.

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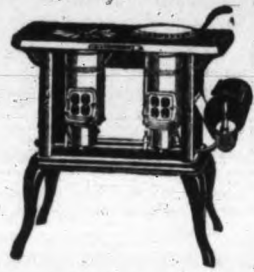
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London Daily Mail.
It is unfair that while British prisoners in Germany are in a state of semi-starvation, German prisoners in England should be treated so well.



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BOOMS, WARS, AND PROGRESS.

A year and a half ago Sir George Paish, the famous financial authority, pointed out that Canada had reached the state of transition from strenuous construction to profitable production, and that this period would be long or short according to the wisdom shown by governments and people in the management of their affairs. Other eminent financial men and captains of industry confirmed Sir George's views, and in some instances elaborated them with a warning against trying to revive the fever of speculation which existed three or four years ago. The more this is done the longer will be the transitional period between construction and production, and therefore the longer the delay in the recovery of the country from the economic restlessness and depression which intervened towards the end of 1913.

Production is increasing in Canada to a satisfactory extent. We see it on every hand. People who preferred to hold their land for speculative purposes instead of cultivating it are now making it produce fruit, grain and vegetables. They are getting back to fundamentals—a healthy sign—without which there can be no permanent prosperity and uniform progress. It was fashionable in some quarters a few years ago to say that speculation in land and other resources was a good thing for the general welfare. This, of course, meant that it was better to pass resources from speculator to speculator than to develop them. There could be only one end to the application of this absurd theory. Farm lands intended by nature for the production of food commodities were divided into lots and withheld from cultivation, production began to decline, rural population decreased, while the population of the cities increased beyond their capacity to accommodate the newcomers, and immediately speculative prices reached a certain figure and speculation ceased, as it always does, stagnation ensued.

This is the history of all speculation booms. It has been the experience of western Canada and the United States. The theory that the war is responsible for hard times in this country is as absurd as the extraordinary delusion that booms make for real prosperity and progress. The war has helped Canada industrially to an enormous extent. It is distributing hundreds of millions of dollars among the wage-earners of the country. Factories and mills that were closed last August are running night and day turning out shells, lumber, clothing, boots, foodstuffs and war implements of all kinds. The demand is greater than the supply and the profits are abnormal. Were it not for the war economic conditions would be infinitely worse than they are. It is of vital importance that these circumstances should be borne in mind, for, as sound financiers have pointed out, the sooner it is realized that the war was not responsible for the depression in Canada the sooner will the people conduct themselves in such a way as to deal sensibly and effectively with the various problems which will arise after the war is over.

For some time after the conflagration has subsided Europe will be engaged in the stupendous task of repairing the waste and losses which have occurred. This will run into many billions, and Canada will have to depend largely upon her own devices and upon American financial aid for various projects. There should be ample capital available in the great American centres for investment in sound enterprises, but anybody who knows anything at all about New York, Chicago or Philadelphia investors, knows that boom schemes are on their black-list. British Columbia has sufficient opportunities for genuine industrial expansion to merit the favorable consideration of outsiders who have money to invest. The quickest way to destroy confidence and blast our prospects is to try to restore the boom era.

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STIFF EXAMPLE NEEDED.

The resignation of W. F. Garland and Arthur De Witt Foster as members of the Canadian parliament should not be the last word in regard to the graft transactions with which they were associated. If public men who conspire to defraud the treasury are allowed to escape consequences other than retirement from office there will be no discouragement of crooked practices by people of the same stamp.

What is needed in Canada is a stiff example for political corruptionists in the form of prosecution and jail sentences. South of the international boundary line dismissal from office was found to be no remedy, so the other course is being adopted on a large scale. In Indiana alone forty or fifty people, including mayors and legislators, have been indicted for corruption and some have been sentenced to terms running from two to five years. This is the remedy Sir Robert Borden, in his speech in the House of Commons, promised to apply in connection with the graft exposure. It has not yet been done.

NOT AT ALL SUPERHUMAN.
The London Chronicle says:
We who stay at home must not expect good news as a right; we must steel ourselves and others to receive bad; but nothing is worse for us and them than to go about, as a part of our press would have us do, putting the worst complexion on everything that we hear, and perpetually contrasting the alleged remissness and inaptitude of our own leaders with the superhuman skill displayed by those of the enemy. In the present war German efficiency is no doubt a great asset to our opponents, but the legend of German efficiency is a great asset to them, too; and when they spend so much money to diffuse it we might really expect British journalists, to refrain from helping its diffusion.

These are wise words. There is no need to put the worst complexion on reports which come from the seat of war and to contrast the German system and leadership with our own to the advantage of the enemy. The situation does not justify it. If the Germans were the superhuman beings some supporters of their military system in the allied countries seem to think they are, they would have been in Paris, Petrograd and London months ago. As a matter of fact in the light of what we know regarding the relative unpreparedness of France and Russia it is clear that the Teutons were overestimated. They had been prepared for war for years. Their fine railroad system had been developed to the eastern and western frontiers, their armies were equipped, their arsenals full and their transport service ready to the minute. Yet Belgium held them for eight days; they never reached the heart of France and the only territory they have overrun is territory which anybody who has ever visited it knows falls naturally within Germany's military boundary. The German organization is complete and efficient, but not abnormally so. The men who do the fighting are first-class according to their training. They are not equal to the British and French infantry and out of the score of leaders they have been developing for forty years only two have escaped mediocrity and these were regarded by them as incompetents. A century ago Napoleon, with his personal leadership, his business and equipment than the Germans had over their adversaries, walked into Berlin and Vienna, annexed Holland, Belgium, Spain and Portugal, drove Russia back a thousand miles, liberated Italy and had plenty of extra time to run the civil as well as the military business of continental Europe. Had the Germans under Wilhelm accomplished one-third of what the French accomplished a century ago the superlatives with which their progress and efficiency are



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The man who tried to kill J. Pierpont Morgan is a real Prussian. He declares that he was inspired by the Almighty to destroy the great banker because his house was attending to the financial arrangements in connection with British war supply contracts in the United States, thereby interfering with the Divine scheme for the Prussianizing of the world. The same source also prompted him to explode a bomb in the reception hall of the Senate at Washington. Alienists will agree that the man is a lunatic, but in there any difference, except in the scope and magnitude of their mania, between him and the Kaiser? Wilhelm insists that he is the instrument of God in chastising the enemies of Germany, that is, all those who do not submit meekly to the German yoke. As an agent of God, he says, he has drawn his sword. God is his "faithful ally," who upholds and supports the "chosen people," when they violate every law of humanity and honor.

The would-be assassin of Morgan struck blindly and unreasonably without the faintest idea of effective aid to his country's cause. There are many partners in the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., some of whom are more indispensable than Mr. Morgan himself. Thus, if the financier's assailant had been successful, the war munitions question would not have been affected one iota. The same frenzied disregard of military values is shown by the Kaiser and his staff in their direction of the atrocity branch of the German service. They bombard unfortified towns, sink helpless trawlers, kill women and children on sea and land, but this has no more effect upon the naval and military situation than the explosion of the bomb at Washington will have upon the production of war supplies by the Bethlehem Steel Works. "Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad," but the afflicted ones invariably do much damage before their light goes out. The man who tried to kill Morgan either will kill himself or will be incarcerated in an insane asylum. In any case he will be put out of the way. The nation which is trying to destroy the world will either commit suicide or will be placed in a straight jacket by the countries allied against it.

DEPLORABLE IS THE WORD.

The Canadian Northern Railway magnates are mixed up in a singular way in that Manitoba scandal, which is the most vivid thing in the political history of Canada. Probably when the people of this province are called upon to consider the lurid streak left by the McBride government, Sir William and Sir Daniel will be found to figure prominently in the records. But while the doughty knights and their esquires, Phippen, McLeod and Lash, lawyer and general managers of the Canadian Northern system and of the G. N. W. Telegraph Company, have done and are doing bold deeds in a forlorn and hopeless cause, it would not be fair to overlook the role assumed by Hon. "Bob" Rogers, the most resourceful individual in Sir Robert Borden's cabinet. The esquires burned rheaves of telegrams, which we may be sure would have shed an interesting light upon a supremely interesting situation if they had been made public by the hands of the Manitoba Royal Commission.

However, all the telegrams were not destroyed. Some of them were saved from the conflagration. One in particular was read with avidity as showing the relationship between the Dominion government and the late Manitoba government and indicating the manner in which the machine controlled by Mr. Rogers operates.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, July 5, 1890.

Barney Goulding, an old pioneer of the province, died at the St. Joseph's hospital yesterday. He was a native of Ireland and aged 53, and had resided for 25 years in the province. He kept a fruit store here latterly.

A new lime kiln is being built on Rosebank, opposite the town of Esquimalt, which will, when completed, be one of the largest in the province. Wharves are to be built for shipping the lime to this city and other parts of the province.

A writ of mandamus has been applied for by Mr. J. W. Carey et alia, Colquhoun water claimants, to compel the city to appoint an arbitrator to deal with this long vexed question.

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Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter.—The Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter, I. O. D. E., will hold its regular meeting to-night at 8 o'clock in the Y. W. C. A. library.

W. C. T. U.—The Central Union W. C. T. U. will hold their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon next at 2 o'clock in the room of the Y. W. C. A. All members are urgently requested to attend.

Rejoining Old Regiments.—W. J. Edwards, secretary of the British Campaigners' association is forwarding to-morrow a second list of ex-commissioned officers of the Imperial army who wish to rejoin their old regiments. Men applying should be over 45 years of age, should be medically fit, and should send their application to the secretary of the British Campaigners' association, P. O. box 431, Victoria.

Scouts in Camp.—Fifth Troop, Victoria boy scouts will go into their summer camp at Patricia bay on Saturday, July 10, for one month, in order to fall in with the holiday arrangements of the parents and friends of the scouts. The troop wish to thank most sincerely all those kind friends who have so generously come forward and given their valuable assistance in the preparation of plans for the scout camp.

Presbyterian Picnic.—The annual Sunday school picnic of St. Paul's Presbyterian church was held on Dominion day at Macaulay point, over three hundred attending the proceedings. Tables were set under the trees overlooking the sea, and a good programme of races and games filled in the afternoon until twilight, when a service was held, about twenty speaking. Prizes were given to the winners of the various events, and the ice cream and berries provided were much appreciated by young and old. Rev. Dr. MacRae, pastor emeritus, visited the grounds during the day. The crowd was photographed as it gathered after tea for the meeting, and many order were given for copies of the picture. The singing of the hymn, "O God Our Help in Ages Past," concluded the enjoyable outing.

Connaught Seamen's Institute.—The Ladies' Guild of the Connaught Seamen's institute desire to express their thanks to all the friends and artists who so kindly contributed to the success of the concert for the institute in the Alexandra Club ballroom on Friday last. Special gratitude is felt to Mrs. Pemberton who provided the hall and brought lovely flowers, and to the B. C. E. Railway for free advertising on the street cars. The musical programme was exceptionally good, and was much appreciated. Mrs. Gibson winning the thanks of the committee for the splendid talent which she assembled for the occasion, and also for acting so ably as accompanist. The grand piano was generously lent by Mr. Hicks.

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Amateur Waltzing Competition.—On Tuesday evening a waltzing competition for amateur dancers will be held in the Connaught hall.

Hold Monthly Meeting.—The Friendly Help society will hold their regular monthly meeting to-morrow at 11 a. m.

Club Licenses Cancelled.—Two more Vancouver clubs have had their licenses cancelled by the attorney-general, these being the French-Canadian club and the Musicians' club.

Tenders for Schools.—Tenders are called by the public works department for the erection of a one-room school at Whonnock, in Maple Ridge municipality, and a two-room school at Union bay, in the Comox district.

New Farmers' Institute.—The organization of a farmers' institute at Dome Creek, Mile 145, has been authorized by the provincial department of agriculture. It will do business in the Fraser valley between Crescent Island and Dewey.

School Name Changed.—The name of Black Mountain school has been changed to that of Rutland school. The council of public instruction has defined the boundaries of the Annabie assisted school district, in West Kootenay.

Trade Commissioner Leaves.—H. G. White, special trade commissioner of the province to the countries of Central and South America and the West Indies, has left for the south on his way to carry out his duties. He takes with him a great amount of information from Victoria which should result in business being secured by local merchants and manufacturers.

W. C. T. U. Mission Board.—Mrs. R. G. Wellwood presided at the postponed meeting of the W. C. T. U. mission board which was held on Saturday afternoon at the Men's mission, Stora street. The treasurer's report for the month was read, and it was stated that there were less men than usual in the mission, but that the committee was doing as well as possible under the circumstances of the shortage of funds.

St. Andrew's Garden Party.—The ladies of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church are making elaborate arrangements for the garden party to be held on Saturday, July 17, at the residence of Sir Richard and Lady McBride, who have kindly lent their garden for the occasion. There will be for sale the usual fancy work, candy, flowers, etc., and tennis and other outdoor games will be arranged for the diversion of those who wish it. A good musical programme is being arranged, and continuously throughout the afternoon an orchestra will play.

Endorse Mine Inspectors.—Underground employees of the Western Fuel company, of Nanaimo, have forwarded a memorial to Hon. W. J. Bowser, as acting minister of mines, declaring that Chief Inspector Graham has their unbounded confidence, that he is a man of sterling qualities and irreproachable integrity, and stating that they "especially deplore the base attacks that have lately been made against a man of such exceptionally high principles." The memorialists also "voice generally confidence in the staff of mine inspectors under Mr. Graham, knowing their efficiency and reliability."

St. Andrew's Picnic.—A big crowd of Sunday school and adult members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church attended the annual picnic held on Saturday at Goldstream. The 9 o'clock train in the morning carried out a large number of people, and a further special train, which left the city at 1.30 conveyed a second big contingent of people to the picnic grounds.

Programme of the day was the programme of sports carried out under direction of Mr. Meharey's Young Men's Bible class, the prizes awarded to the winners and presented by friends of the church being handsomer than usual. The events took place in the open clearing on the grounds near the hotel, the luncheon tables being spread down near the stream in the shade of the trees. There was abundance of good things, the ladies coming furnished with well-filled baskets. Rev. Dr. Clay and Mrs. Clay were present; also Rev. W. L. MacRae and Rev. Mr. Fortune.

Annual Prize Distribution.—The annual prize-giving at St. Margaret's school will take place on Tuesday next at 3 o'clock. The Venerable Archdeacon Scrymgeour has kindly consented to give the prizes.

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LOGGING CONGRESS

Publisher of "The Timberman" Pays Visit to City to Arouse Interest in Coming Function.

An interesting visitor to the city to-day was George M. Cornwall, publisher of the Timberman, a Portland publication devoted to lumber industry and development. Speaking of the seventh session of the Pacific Logging Congress which will be held at San Francisco from October 21 to 23, he said: "This session promises to be one of great interest. The loggers and lumbermen of British Columbia have always evinced a great deal of interest in the logging congress which includes the provinces of British Columbia and the states of Washington, Idaho, Montana, California and Oregon in its jurisdiction. Its object is the standardizing of the methods in logging practice. Two days prior to the holding of the Pacific Logging Congress will be held the regular annual meeting of the Western Forestry and Conservation association, which is the most important forest fire-fighting organization in the United States. Its sessions are attended by B. C. lumbermen and timber owners, and representatives of the government. The two meetings will be of deep interest and are held jointly so as to provide an opportunity to visit the Panama-Pacific exposition, and also a visit to the famous redwood belt in California. A special train will carry the visitors from San Francisco to Eureka, Cal., where two days will be spent visiting redwood operations.

SHUTTLECOCK TOURNAMENT. In playing off the tie in the Fairfield Sunday School's shuttlecock tournament at Beacon Hill on Saturday afternoon the set was won by the Philatheta team with a score of 15-7, 9-15, 15-9. The opposing teams in these final games were: Philatheta, Miss Hilda Whitley, captain, and Misses Isabel Taylor, Gladys Graham, Jessie Sward and Gladys Ross; W. H. O. team, Miss Beatrice Pearce, captain, and Misses Winona Ross, Emily Allbutt, Eva Pommerville and Gertrude Leigh.

Meet on Wednesday.—The regular meeting of the Purple Star Lodge, 1941, I. O. B. A., will be held in the Orange hall, Yates street, Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Ladies' Aid Garden Party.—The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will hold a garden party at the residence of Lady McBride, Gorge road, on Thursday, July 17.

Will Hold Picnic.—July 18 is the date set for the next Ivy Leaf Social Club picnic, the site selected being Prospect lake. Cars will leave opposite the city hall at 10 a. m.

Sale of Work.—A sale of work will be held at Cloverdale, Cloverdale avenue, next Thursday from 3 to 8 p. m., under the auspices of the Ladies of St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill. Refreshments will be served.

Lecture on European Conflict.—Messrs. Howell and Huxtable will lecture on "The Great War to the Present Date," illustrated by lantern slides, in the Fairfield Methodist church this evening at 8 o'clock.

Board of Trade Council.—There will be a meeting of the board of trade council to-morrow forenoon to consider reports from committees, and prepare the business to be presented to the quarterly meeting of the board on Friday next.

Visited Experimental Farm.—A visit to the Dominion experimental farm at Saanich was paid by the members of the class in rural science in connection with the summer school on Saturday, under the guidance of the teachers and officials of the provincial department of agriculture.

Automobile Association.—A general meeting of the Victoria Automobile association will be held in the secretary's office, 114 Belmont house, on Wednesday, at 4 p. m., for the purpose of considering the advisability of changing the name of the association and transacting any other business.

Box News of Her Son.—Mrs. Pierce, box 15, Banff, Alberta, writes to the police to ask for assistance in tracing her son, H. Pierce, who was working in the coast cities when she last heard of him about a year ago. Any persons in Victoria knowing anything of him are asked to let his mother know at the address given.

Cadets Get Shield.—Public school No. 349, Esquimalt cadet corps has been named the most proficient in the district in which the British Campaigners' shield is competed for. The association donated the shield for annual competition among the corps of the Oak Bay, Esquimalt, South Saanich and Victoria schools.

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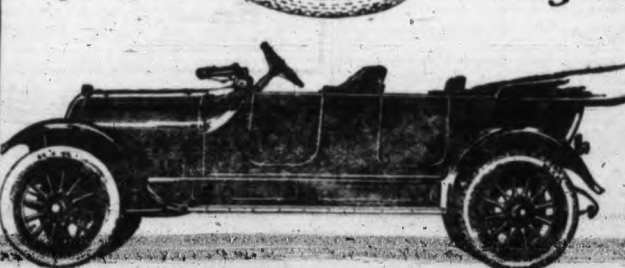
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J. W. Weart is at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

G. M. Ross, of Banfield Creek, is at the Dominion hotel.

J. A. Salter, of Winnipeg, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

G. H. Dale, of Dupont, Wash., is a guest of the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, of Duncan are at the Empress hotel.

R. M. Barr came from Vancouver this morning and is at the Empress hotel.

Alexander Lucas, M. P. P. for Yale, is registered at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

T. M. Dingman and Mrs. Dingman, of Olalla, Wash., are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Helen Harper Wilson, secretary of the Automobile club, of Seattle, is at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner and Miss Doris and Anna Werner, of Celar Falls, Ia., are at the Dominion hotel.

F. F. Nye, of the Alaska Steamship Co., is staying at the Dominion hotel. Mrs. Nye accompanies him.

J. R. Honeyman, representing J. S. Fry & Sons, of Bristol, England, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Among the arrival at the Empress hotel yesterday were Dr. Charles and Mrs. Peck and their family from New York. They are spending a few days on the coast.

Mrs. Hall, wife of Lieut.-Col. J. A. Hall, has arrived safely in England, accompanied by her sister, Miss Gatenby, according to a cable message received on Friday.

Miss Dobson, formerly of the Colonial staff, passed through the city yesterday on her way from San Francisco to Manitoba, where she is going to visit friends for the next four or five months.

A. B. Fraser, accompanied by Misses Amy C. and Bertha E. Fraser, returned on Saturday from a stay of a month in the Kootenay, where they have been visiting their sister, Mrs. G. S. Godfrey.

Edward Hay, general manager of the Imperial Bank of Canada, is visiting Victoria. He is at the Empress hotel, accompanied by Mrs. and the Misses Hay. They arrived from Toronto via Vancouver, on Saturday, and will be here some days.

The flannel dance arranged by Mrs. Simpson at the Gorge Pavilion last Friday evening in aid of the Red Cross funds proved a very enjoyable little affair. Miss Thain's orchestra supplied the music. Delicious refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Vincent announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Mildred, to Carleton Howells Willis, youngest son of the late Samuel W. Willis, of Winchester, Kentucky. The wedding will take place early in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison, of Ramerton, who recently returned from their honeymoon, were accorded a surprise party recently at their home, when employees of the Ramerton Cement Works and other friends presented them with a cabinet of silver. Mr. Anderson, manager of the works, made the presentation, after which more speeches, songs and music were provided. An informal dance concluded the social entertainment. In the course of which delicious refreshments were passed round.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watts, Craigdarroch park, was the scene of a quiet wedding last Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock when their daughter, Lael, was united in marriage to Jack Cook, of Seattle. Rev. C. T. Scott performed the rite, which was witnessed only by the immediate family. The bride wore a charming going-away costume of blue taffetas, with hat of bronzed straw, her bouquet being of pale pink roses. Mr. and Mrs. Cook left by the 4.30 boat on a honeymoon during which they will visit the National park, later to take up their residence at Seattle.

The marriage was solemnized on Saturday evening, July 3, of Miss Constance Rose Ellis, of Vancouver, B. C., and John Raffi Wright, a retired rancher of Alberta. The ceremony took place at 7.30 in the vestry of First Presbyterian church, Rev. J. G. Inkster performing the rite. The bride wore her traveling costume of blue, with white satin hat, and was attended by Miss E. A. McLaughlin. J. M. Stenson supported the bridegroom. Later Mr. and Mrs. Wright left for Seattle and San Francisco, after an extended visit in the latter city to return to Vancouver to make their home.

Venerable Archdeacon Scriven last Thursday at Christ Church cathedral celebrated the marriage of Daisy Helen, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson, of Church Farm, near Kelowna, B. C., to Mr. William George, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kerr, of Drum, Sligo, Ireland. The bride, who was given away by E. Sturgeon, was attired in white satin with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white carnations and roses. She was attended by Miss Ruby Kerr, the bridegroom's sister, while A. E. Bowen acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Kerr will make their home in Victoria.

On Wednesday afternoon, June 30, the marriage of William L. Green and Miss Elizabeth F. (Bessie) Brown, took place at the residence of the groom.

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Division 2—Geo. Sheppard, Raymond Starrett, Phyllis Sutton, James Kirk, Alec Watson, Van Martin.

Division 3—Colin Mackay, Doris Allan, Ralph Butler, Melville Hicks, Willie McGinley, Arthur Porter, Montague Porter, Grace Rees, Dorothy Rombough, Muriel Stephens, Margaret Stewart, Elizabeth Thomas, Elnes Wright.

Division 4—Eileen Johnson, James Underwood, Annie Redhead, Doyle Raymond, Victor Bittencourt, Gladys Roskamp, Ada Blair, John Craik, Kathleen Wallace.

Division 5—Philip Cumine, Arthur Porter, Peter Johnson, Raymond Bayliss, Stanley Porter, Hilda Grant, Stanley Dudge, Albert Hine.

Division 6—Doris Diment, Fred Isbester, Lola Cherry, Winnie Swarbrick, Harold Neave.

Division 7—John Irving, Vivienne McGinley, Annie Isbester, George Isbester, Agnes Young, Chas. Richmond, Edward Pearson, May Brogan.

Division 8—Ruth Dickson, Muriel Farley, May Banks, Nellie Parkins, Marjorie Pomeroy, Frank Stratford, Tom Wilkinson, Lester Strand.

Division 9—Eleanor Redhead, Dorothy Stritar, Frances Jepson, Cyril Wallace, Mary Ann Holmwood, Bernice Bittencourt.

Division 10—Harold Denny, John McNutt, Fred Adams, Duncan Stewart, Willie Plater, Grace Newburn, Jack Wilkinson, Jack Croston.

Division 11—Muriel Lamerton, Winifred Sharp, May Wallace, Grace Carter.

Division 12—Gladys Nicholson, Gordon Nelson, Gladys Bittencourt, Willie James.

Division 13—May Richmond, Gladys Nicholson, Kenneth Thompson, Victoria Gibson.

PITHY PARAGRAPHS

"Ma! Ma!" bawled Freddy as the usual morning wash was going on. "Do my ears belong to my face or my neck?" Ma temporised. "Why, what is the matter?" she asked. "I want it decided now. Every time you tell Mary to wash my face or my neck she washes my ears too."

"My wife," said Mr. Clarke, "sent ten shillings in answer to an advertisement of a sure method of getting rid of superfluous fat." "And what did she get for the money?" Was the information what she wanted?" asked Mr. Simmons. "Well, she got a reply telling her to sell it to the soap man."

"Papa," said the sweet girl affectionately, "you wouldn't like me to go away and leave you, would you?" "Indeed I would not, my dearest," said the wealthy father fondly. "I'm so glad," sighed the girl. "Now I'll marry Mr. Poorchap. He's willing to live here."

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In setting forth an incident of local heroism a country paper reporter finished up neatly:—"A. he flung the blazing oil-stove out of the window. Mr. Perkins stumbled over a chair and sat down amidst some ignited shavings on the floor, the flame from which caught his clothes." By quick action and a ready wit he escaped with his life, but his trousers were burned almost beyond recognition."

Jones came up to town one morning with a bruised and swollen forehead. His friend Briggs showed considerable curiosity as to the cause of the injury. "How did it happen, old man?" he asked. "Collided with the hat-rack last night," said Jones, shortly. "Accidentally," asked Briggs. "No," Briggs replied Jones, sweetly. "I have every reason to suspect that it attacked me purposely."

Many a man who permits himself to be led forth to musical entertainments he does not care for will appreciate the following: "What made you start clapping your hands when that woman stepped on your foot in the transept?" "I was dozing," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I thought mother and the girls were having a musical at home, and one of them was signalling that it was time to applaud."

A tradesman in a certain town put a box outside his shop one day, labelled "For the Blind." Most of his customers dropped in pennies and complimented him on his charity. A few weeks after the box disappeared. "Hallo! what's happened to your box for the blind?" he was asked. "Oh, I got enough money," he replied. "And," pointing upward to the new canvas box, "there's the blind. Not bad, is it?"

When fillet distilling was common in Ireland there was an old man who went about the country repairing whiskey pots. The gauger met him one day and asked him what he would take to inform him (the gauger) where he had repaired the last whiskey pot. "Och," said the old man, "I'll just take half-a-crown." "Done!" retorted the gauger. "Here's your money, but be careful to tell the truth." "Och, I'll tell you no lie, sir. I just mended the last whiskey pot where the hole was."

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AT THE THEATRES

VARIETY THEATRE.

Some war pictures of genuine in-
terest are being shown at the Variety
theatre to-day and to-morrow, among
which may be mentioned the scenes on
the Austro-Italian Frontier. The
whole programme of motion pictures
is exceptionally good. "Love and
Surgery," a screamingly funny two-
part comedy with Billie Ritchie heads
the bill. Pauline Bush is featured in
"Her Escape," a modern drama in two
acts. The "Animated Weekly" shows
happenings in various parts of the
world. After a short absence, Walter
Charles, the concert pianist, has
again returned, and will be heard in
new musical selections.

ALLEN PLAYERS.

Commencing to-night at the Prin-
cess theatre the prices will be twenty-
five and fifteen cents and fifteen and
ten cents for the Saturday matinee.
As a special feature to-night will be
gift night, and twenty prizes will be
given away. With each twenty-five
cent ticket purchased, two numbers
will be given, each number giving a
chance for a prize. With each fifteen



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sor to a chance on a grand prize to be
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play for this week will be the famous
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edy in "The Candy Ship," presented
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music of a Lasky production and a
little more comedy. It is acted by
fourteen people, including a chorus,
with Ethel Davis in the leading role.
The scene is laid on a steamship and
the mistakes are led cause many amus-
ing situations. One of the features is
the introduction of a new song, "The
Charlie Chaplin Glide," sung by eight
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have a clever singing, talking and
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songs and rapid-fire jokes and Miss
Odom holds up her end of the re-
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an act in which tumbling and prop-

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

The feature film at the Majestic
theatre to-day and to-morrow is en-
titled "Finger Prints of Fate." The
following is a resume of the story it
tells: William Gray, an aged scientist,
is found dead in his library. His safe,
which was known to have contained a
large sum of money, has been rifled,
and suspicions point to the scientist's
favorite nephew, Morris Grey, who is
found a few minutes later in the li-
brary, and who only a few hours be-
fore has been disinherited for mak-
ing love to his uncle's secretary, Mar-
garet Seymour. The young man, on
arrest, has nothing to say for himself.
The money is not found, but the police
believe that it has been removed at
some previous time to the murder, and
that the slayer had returned to remove
some traces of his crime. Margaret is
the only person who contends that he
is innocent. At the beginning, too, she
had almost believed him guilty, for
she had noticed a finger-mark on the
side of the safe and had been almost
convinced that it was Morris's. Later,
hiding in the room, she had seen him
enter, find her glove and carefully re-
move it as though he would divert sus-
picion from herself. She reasoned
then that he was not guilty; for in
that event he would not have seemed
to suspect her. It takes some clever
detective work to clear up the case.
But Margaret is a born detective, and
at last she proves conclusively that
the crime was committed by two men
who have no connection with Morris
Gray.

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Few British statesmen have been
held in higher esteem in Italy than
Gladstone. It was he who, by his visit
to Naples in 1881, and a fierce de-
nunciation of the horrors he saw per-
petrated there in the case of political
prisoners, first really stirred British
sympathy for the cause of Italian li-
beration. It was, indeed, Gladstone's
"Letters to Lord Aberdeen," which, as
Mr. G. M. Trevelyan avers, "created in
France and Britain the feeling which
kept clear the international ring for
Garibaldi's final attack on the King-
dom of the Two Sicilies." And the
great liberator himself recognized the
fact. When he came to Britain in
1864, a great reception was given in
his honor at Chiswick, and Gladstone
stood among the throng of distinguish-
ed men who waited to receive him. As
he came up in his red shirt and
puncio, and saw the friend of the pris-
oners, Garibaldi seized Gladstone's
hand, and with deep feeling breathed
the one word "Precursur."

The trombone player in a Scottish or-
chestra was taken ill, and the conductor
accepted the services of a man who
was naturally a little doubtful however
the substitute. After the
first performance the conductor said that
the new player had done fairly well, but
that perhaps he would do better the next
night. The newcomer looked at him
gratefully, and answered, "Man, ye see,
the music is a' strange tae me the night,
and I'm no' list o' yet, but ye wait tae
the morn's night, and ye'll no hear ane
of that fiddles at a'!"

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DESIGNS AGAINST THE MONROE DOCTRINE

How William C. Whitney Ex-
pected War With Kaiser
Over South America

Many books and more pamphlets
have been written within the last few
months concerning the causes, im-
mediate and remote, which have brought
about the present war. Europe un-
questionably is in the melting pot, as
Sir Gilbert Parker, M. P., says in
"The World in the Crucible" (John
Murray).

Sir Gilbert's personal knowledge of
British Imperial dependencies, of the
United States and of the half develop-
ed and undeveloped polities of South
and Central America makes him the
best informed and most far-sighted
guide there is in regard to the mar-
time aspect of Germany's ambitious
ambitions, remarks the Morning Post
in reviewing Sir Gilbert's latest book.
It says:

"Chapter V. (German Colonial Policy,
the United States and the Monroe
Doctrine) is full of invaluable information.
The author begins his observations on
this neglected branch of his subject by
quoting what was said to him in 1901
by the late W. C. Whitney, formerly
secretary of the navy in the Cleveland
administration.

"You think that Germany has de-
signs on the British position, that she
wants and will strike for Great Brit-
ain's colonies as soon as she has a
navy? Do not fash yourselves, as the
Scotch say. We will be taking Ger-
many on before that time comes.
Just as we shall like it we will have
to do your work for you. She isn't
cured yet of her designs on South
America. She will try it on and try
it on, and she will try it on once too
often.

"She wants to challenge the Monroe
Doctrine, and she will do it if she
thinks she can do it safely. If she
thinks the United States will not fight,
you saw what happened at Manila.
There the British played up in style.
Dovey has more than moral support
from you there. Well, I tell you that
when I was secretary of the navy under
Cleveland I saw that Germany
meant to grab Brazil and Bolivia and
Venezuela, and any other portion of
South America which was too weak to
resist her—if we let her. I made up
my mind that my country would not
let her slice off one little chunk from
the Monroe Doctrine. You did not
notice any decline of the American
navy under my administration, did
you? No. Well, Germany made me work
harder than I ever did in my life.
Don't worry. We will have to do your
work for you."

"That the dual continent is Ger-
many's promised land was seen by the
late Admiral Mahan, and the warning
he addressed to his compatriots last
August, shortly before his death, as to
the disastrous effects of the collapse
of the sea should be borne in mind by
President Wilson and his advisers, if,
indeed, he is taking any advice.

"Admiral Mahan's words, as Sir Gil-
bert Parker shows, can be justified by
the ipseissima verba of many German
publicists. Schmolzer, for example,
whose book entitled "The Policy of
Commerce and Force" is well known,
thought that Germany must create at
any cost a land of from twenty to
thirty millions of Germans in southern
Brazil, and also secure the whole trade
of Bolivia and other sparsely populat-
ed Latin American polities. The whole
chapter throws a flood of light on the
methods of peaceful penetration where-
by Germany has sapped the founda-
tions of the Monroe Doctrine and laid
mines of her explosive nationality, so
to speak, in many regions of Latin
America, as well as in the United
States itself."

But you get in Sir Gilbert Parker's
book a gradually new picture of what
Germany had become as a machine—a
human or an inhuman machine, as you
prefer—before the war began. Side by
side he sketches England in reference
to world politics.

"Why, indeed, should Britain cherish
hostile intentions against any nation?
She is not the 'weary Titan' which
she had been called so often. The last
few months show this, at least—that
she has lost nothing of the qualities
by which she has climbed to greatness.
She has, however, long felt that the
era of growth had given place to the
era of consolidation. That consolida-
tion she sought to achieve by peace-
ful means. She would weld her empire
by giving the fullest freedom for each
state in her empire to develop on its
own lines and draw near by its own
free will."

"But it must be remembered," the
Daily Chronicle says, "that there never
was a people to all outward seeming
more destined and fitted for empire
than the Germans—homogeneous in
blood, virile, bodily and mentally above
the ordinary, industrious, thrifty, thor-
ough and patriotic. To the throne from
which they were marshalled and gov-
erned came, a quarter of a century
ago, the war lord, who now heads their
armies in the field, and of him Sir
Gilbert Parker says:

From boyhood William was a dream-
er, but a dreamer of the serious, im-
material, grandiose type, with intellect
powerful enough to make him, with
his opportunities, a great force, and
with a personality of singular im-
pressiveness. It was clear from the
start that, European war or no Euro-
pean war, a mediaeval greed of power
was the desire of his heart.
"He was a spangler from the begin-
ning, though sometimes he assumed
the role of modesty, which merely pro-
vided a background for outbreaks of
passionate declaration that he was
made a gift to the world and set upon
a throne so that, with the blessing of
Providence, Germany should exalt her-
self and save the world by her deeds."
Touching on the evolution of Ger-
many, especially in regard to its war
policy since the war which brought

France to her knees in 1870, the Stan-
dard remarks:

"Perhaps the most valuable passages
in the book consist in the evidence that
recent atrocities are the direct out-
come of the east-iron military system
which Prussia has imposed on the em-
pire. Yet, after all, as far back as the
days of the Duke of Wellington and
Robert Southey there was proof
enough that Prussia adopted methods
in warfare which gave her an unenvi-
able notoriety. Wellington declared that
the 'earth never groaned with such a
lot of murdering, infamous villains' as
made up the German host. He adds:
'They murdered, robbed and ill-treated
the peasantry wherever they went.'
'Robert Southey, writing in the year
of Waterloo, after a visit to the bat-
tlefield, declared: 'You will be rejoiced
to hear that the English are well
spoken of for their deportment in
peace and war. . . . It is far other-
wise with the Prussians. Concerning
them there is but one opinion; of their
brutality I have had too many proofs.'
Their conduct was exactly the same
in the Danish war half a century later,
and in the Franco-Prussian war of 1870,
whilst in China in 1900 America felt
bound to protest at their inhuman
treatment of the populace during the
Boxer rebellion."

A Lucky Escape.
By Good luck I managed to get to
a partly-wrecked building, and stopped
to examine myself. Finding I was still
"all there," I had a look round. What
first met my eye was a dead officer,
and then I discovered that one of my
boots had sunk into a dead French
soldier, who had lain there all winter;
I shifted and that shift nearly cost me
my life, for as I passed what had once
been a window a bullet went whizzing
past my devoted head. I swear that an
eighth of an inch made all the differ-
ence between life and death. This little
bit of experience made me a trifle
cautious. So I bobbed up at another
part and got my eye on Mr. Hun. I
let fly into a group of them, and down
again, and so on until a nicely-placed
shell made an end to my fortress. I
had just lain down against the wall
to reload my magazine when, bang,
crash! and I was completely buried un-
der bricks. I managed to push my way
out of my little brick hut, and finding
I was almost alone in my glory, as
far as living men went, I decided "to
get." I "got" about ten yards when
another shell went bang into soft earth
a few feet from me. When I woke up
my face felt as if a road-roller had
passed over it. I saw a trench a little
distant away, and I at once made it
my objective. The same idea evi-
dently struck a chap next me. We made
a dive for it. I got in all right. The other
chap rolled in, but never moved again.
Lieutenant Martin was wounded in the
arm and leg, but declined to give in,
and so kept things in order until dark.
When darkness fell, we cleared out.

SOLDIER HAS THRILLING EXPERIENCE AT FRONT

Went Through Rain of Lead
Unscathed, Although
Had Many Escapes

A Campsie soldier in the Royal En-
gineers, in a letter home, writes: "You
will have read of Lieut. Martin, V. C.,
D. S. O. I was along with him when he
qualified for his V. C. We were routed
from our billets about 11 o'clock. At
11:30 we marched off. After a stroll
of some seven miles we arrived in the
support trenches as dawn was break-
ing, a bit tired, but glad to get "sitting
down, even if it was in the softest and
most choice of Belgian mud. After a
long, cold, and dreary wait, during
which an old man was brought down
by stray bullets, we got word to get
ready. Great Scott! The bombardment
started, and, well, we knew it. Shells
came whirling and banging overhead
in continuous streams—small, medium,
and large. Our own big shells would
come rumbling over for all the world
like half-a-dozen engines coming sim-
ultaneously out of a tunnel. What a
din! The infernal row kept on for
three-quarters of an hour, and then
a lull on the part of our artillery told
us that our time had come—we would
now come into the picture. A great
shout went up and we were off with

fixed bayonets and hand grenades.
There were about seventeen of us
along with the lieutenant, and with a
shout of "Come on, R. E.'s!" he was
off with seventeen white-faced N.C.O.'s
and men after him. Judge of our sur-
prise when we found ourselves in
among our front line of infantry, and
tearing through what seemed to be a
solid wall of bullets and shells. I saw
one shell landing in a group of four
men, two of whom went up in the air
and the other two toppled over.

"No! I don't want any more of your
labor-savin' machines," said Farmer
Jones reflectively. "I've had enough
of 'em! Look in the cupboard. There's
a typewriting machine in there. The
missus spent all her egg-and-butter
money to buy that for me, 'cause I
ain't so over-handly with the pen. Just
look at the swindlin' thing!" "What's
the matter with it?" said Farmer
Brown. "Matter!" said the old man
indignantly. "Why, you can't even
write your name with the confounded
thing unless you know how to play
the planner or a church organ!"

A certain actor who possessed mar-
velous powers of mimicry, although he
earned big money was always very hard
up. One day he visited his tailor to ask
him for a little more time to pay an ac-
count which had been owing for three
years. While he was there a customer
entered the shop, and after asking for a
suits paid at once. Then the actor heaved
a sigh of pain. "What if the matter?"
asked the tailor. "Alas," replied the actor,
sighing again, "that is a man I shall
never be able to imitate!"

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TWO DIE IN RACE

AT TACOMA MEET

Billy Carlson and Mechanician Hurlled to Death; Ruckstell Wins Rich Prize

Tacoma, July 5.—Billy Carlson, the automobile driver injured in the race in the Tacoma speedway yesterday, died at the Tacoma General hospital at 4.15 this morning. Paul Franzen, his mechanic, is dead as the result of the first serious accident of the new Tacoma track.

Was Leading the Field. Carlson, who was driving a Maxwell, was leading the field when, taking a curve at an estimated speed of more than ninety-five miles an hour in an effort to put distance between himself and Earl Cooper, who was crowding him from the rear, when a front tire blew out and he lost control of the steering gear. The car went over the top of the track, dropped a distance of twenty-five feet, rolled another twenty and crashed into the fence surrounding the speedway.

Mechanic Crushed to Death. Carlson and his mechanic, Franzen, were thrown out, the driver escaping from the machine, but the powerful racing car rolled over his companion a couple of times and crushed him to death.

death. Franzen was 27 years old and is survived by a wife in San Diego, Cal.

Winning Drivers.

The winning drivers, their cars and time made in the Monomarch 250-mile event and the prizes were:

Glover Ruckstell, in Mercer, first. Time, 2:57. \$2,500.
Earl Cooper, Stutz, second. Time, 2:58.05. \$1,500.
Eddie Pullen, Mercer car, third. Time, 2:58.55. \$1,000.
Bob Burnham, in Peugeot, fourth. Time, 3:08.44. \$500.

The attendance was given out as 15,000 and the gate receipts estimated at \$25,000.

Omaha, Neb., July 5.—All eighteen countries will compete to-day in the 300-mile \$15,000 automobile race at the new Omaha speedway, as there were no elimination rounds yesterday. Most of the pilots arrived too late to participate in the preliminary trials.

COMPLETE RESULTS OF SATURDAY'S BOWLING

With the greens in perfect condition, Saturday's events at the Beacon Hill Lawn Bowling Club, left little to be desired. The weather was of the made-to-order brand and there was a big turnout of the club members to take in the week-end competitions. The complete results were: McBride defeated Stevenson in the singles, and Sturgess and Alexander defeated Roberts and McBride in the doubles. Other scheduled games played off during the week were: In the singles, Dunn defeated Cullin, Chambers defeated Bryce, and Walker defeated Ferguson. In the doubles, Fairfull and Ferguson defeated Chambers and Johnson.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Nye Could Not Lead His Ball Club.

A splendid hitter and fighting ball player, Marty Nye's release by the Northwestern league was brought about by his inability to control the players. The sudden slump of the team at Spokane was attributed to a pitching lapse, but the continued defeats revealed other causes, and President Blewett decided that another manager would work wonders with the playing of the team. Nye is one of the highest types of ball players ever seen here. A perfect gentleman in manners and speech, he was always on the lookout for the club's interest. His one big failing, the direct cause of his release, was his inability to keep the players in hand. The team treated him more as a player than a manager. In the months that he had charge of the Leafs he only fined one ball player for breach of discipline, and Prexy Blewett decided that the club would do better with an iron hand over them, hence the change.

Westminster Sure of the Minto Cup.

No matter how many lacrosse players Con. Jones imports from the east, he cannot hope to wrench the Minto cup from its moorings on the banks of the Fraser this season. The Terminus have lost six battles, and in a two-team organization that about sums up the strength of the respective teams. Jones picked an all-star twelve, but some of his importations did not deliver, while the veterans that he tried to bring back into the game did not have the staying power to hold the Salmonbellies. There is a strong probability that the league will not finish its schedule, the gates having drawn but a few dollars, and Jones is now shouldering a certain loss because of a few guaranteed salaries to his eastern imports.

Will Introduce Whipnet Racing.

As a means of introducing dog racing as a sport under the rules of the American Kennel Club, so that those who are interested in the sport may do so free from some of the annoyances that have been met at meetings run off under independent auspices. Properly conducted, dog racing is an exciting sport, and under a thorough organization to manage the meetings—one that would be loyal to the governing body in American canine affairs—a circuit might be arranged to include many of the outdoor dog shows and some of the country clubs. The fairway of any long hole on a golf course would make a fine course for the "miniature longhairs," as greyhound fanciers often term the whipnets.

Cobb's Speed Second to His Skill.

To appreciate Cobb's super-human base running, one has only to use these succulent statistics for a foundation of comparative dope, viz.:

The two fastest people in the American league are Bert Shotton and Fritz Maisel. Both are batting only a shade under .300, which shows how often they are getting on. Yet Cobb has stolen exactly as many bases as Shotton and Maisel together—thirty-nine—and Shotton and Maisel are ranked among the base running stars of the commonwealth.

SPORTING NEWS

BUTLER MAY CAPTAIN THE LEAFS

PREXY BLEWETT TO MANAGE CLUB

Bob Brown Gets One Thousand-Dollar Cheque as Result of Allied Sports Night

While it has not been officially announced, it is said that Willis Butler will be in charge of the Victoria ball team hereafter. Butler is well liked by the players, and President Blewett is said to favor the change. The release of Nye was expected after the recent slump of the team, and it now develops that friction has existed between the former manager and the Victoria players for some weeks. It is said that President Blewett was aware of this situation weeks ago, and the release of Nye comes after a disappointing home series.

The inability of the Boosters' club to get together the money necessary to hold the team here was another reason for the change in management. President Blewett will look after the interests of the team while it is on the road, with Willis Butler directing the plays on the field. A new outfielder will be secured immediately, with two new pitchers. Williams, who worked on Friday, may be kept as utility player.

as he is a pretty good hitter and can play the infield or outfield. With another good twirler, the team would stack up pretty fair.

Philadelphia, July 4.—The switch of Catcher Wally Schang to third base is to be permanent, according to Manager Mack. In the future McAvoy and Lapp will look after the catching, though it is possible that Schang and Malone may alternate at third for the remainder of the season in order to give the young collegian a chance to be in the game.

Chicago, July 4.—According to a story printed in Detroit, President Comiskey, of the White Sox, is ready to invest another fortune for a ball player. The report has it that he has offered President Somers, of the Cleveland American league club, \$20,000 and a pitcher for Ray Chapman, the Indians' shortstop.

Vancouver, B. C., July 4.—Vancouver defeated Seattle Saturday by a score of 5 to 0. During the game President Brown was presented with a cheque for \$1,000, being the first instalment of the proceeds of the allied sports carnival held for the benefit of the Vancouver franchise.

BAYLEY-LIKELY TO

GO EAST IN FALL

Charlie White Outpoints Freddie Welsh; Neff to Meet Campbell

Johanne Schiff, the California lightweight, has written Joe Bayley a letter, in which he advises the Canadian Lightweight champion to go east, if he wants to get a bout that will put the money. Schiff who is an old friend of Bayley's, says that the Montreal bouts are drawing well. Geo. Kennedy, the well-known manager of the Canadian lacrosse and hockey clubs, is handling the boxing contests in Montreal and despite the war, they are making money. Bayley hardly considers a trip east, just now, but says that if he cannot arrange to meet O'Leary in a bout within the next month, he will try and book a couple of fights in the Eastern Canadian metropolises.

Seattle, July 5.—For the first time in six months, Seattle fans will have the privilege of seeing two of the leading Northwest lightweights in action at a downtown smelter. Manager Ajax, of the Greenwood Athletic club, yesterday announced that Chet Neff and Ray Campbell, two of the best 135-pounders in this vicinity, will come together in the main event of a smelter to be held at the Tivoli Theatre building at First and Madison next Friday night.

New York, July 5.—Charlie White, of Chicago, outpointed Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, in their ten-round bout at the Brighton Beach race track last night. The ringside weights were: White, 133 1/2; Welsh, 134 pounds. The men agreed to weigh in at 135 pounds at 3 p. m.

New York, July 5.—Mrs. Jess Willard is dying of quick consumption, say Buffalo physicians who examined her yesterday. They declare she cannot live more than a month. She will go to the Willard home at Emmet, Kan. Her husband has a contract with a Wild West show playing here and begged for release, but the management refused.

NATIONALS LEADING IN DOWSWELL CUP LACROSSE SERIES

Nationals again defeated Oak Bay on Saturday in the Junior Lacrosse series, the final score being 5 to 2. This is the fifth win for the Nationals twelve, out of six games played, so that they have a big lead in the race for the Robert Downswell Cup. Saturday's game was a bit rough, but Messrs. McKay and Menzies handled out penalties freely, the youngsters being curbed at the start.

Montreal, July 5.—There were only two big lacrosse games in the East Saturday, one in Toronto and the other in Montreal. In the Toronto game, Tecumseh's beat Rosedale by a score of 10 to 0. In the Montreal game, which was to play off for the title in the Queen City league, the Shamrock of which are to play off for the title with the winners in the National Lacrosse Union.

In the N. L. U. game at Montreal, Cornwall had a little trouble in winning from the disorganized Shamrock team by a score of 7 to 3.

Vancouver, B. C., July 5.—Vancouver was treated to a double header in baseball and lacrosse Saturday afternoon, the Vancouver team meeting the Westminster Minto Cup holders in an exhibition match following the baseball game. Vancouver won by a score of 14 to 7.

SCHEDULES ABANDONED.

London, July 5.—The football league has recommended that next season's competitions should not be proceeded with. It is possible that a programme may be arranged though not on league lines.

BALCOLM FACTOR

IN FIRST CLASH

Bapcos Beaten by Hawkins' Cubs on Saturday in Free-Hitting Game

"Bubbles" Balcolm twirled Hawkins' Cubs to a 12 to 1 victory over the Bapcos on Saturday in the first of the three game series for the Senior City league baseball championship. Through-out the entire nine innings Balcolm mowed the Bapcos down, and deserved a shout-out, an error permitting them to break into the scoring column. The offerings of Rafferty and McGregor, the opposing slabsters, were batted freely, while their support was very ragged. Only five hits did the Bapcos' batters collect off the Cub slabster, while but one of these was an extra base blow. Of the twelve hits collected by the Cubs there were included a home run and a triple.

Frank Moore, played a brilliant game at second base for the Cubs, accepting six chances without a blot. He also got three hits in five trips to the plate. Balcolm's record for the day was 12 strike outs, one base on balls while he helped win his own game with a timely single.

Hawkins' Cubs.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Gravelin, 3 b.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
McGregor, r. f.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green, 1 b.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Moore, 2 b.	5	2	3	1	5	0	0	0
Burns, c. f.	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
McDougall, s. s.	4	1	1	4	2	1	0	0
Ledingham, l. f.	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Straith, c.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Balcolm, p.	3	2	1	0	2	0	0	0
Totals	40	12	5	27	17	8	0	0

Bapcos.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Wakely, 2 b.	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Campbell, r. f.	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
J. Cummins, s. s.	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Green, 1 b.	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Jim Cummins, c. f.	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Lalonde, l. f.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mackie, 1 b. and c.	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Thorsen, c.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jackson, 1 b.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Strath, c.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McGregor, p.	3	0	2	1	1	0	0	0
McDiarmid	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	5	27	11	8	0	0

*Batted for Milne in ninth.

Score—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Hawkins' Cubs.....0 1 2 2 7 0 0 0 0-12

Bapcos.....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1

Summary: 2 runs, 3 hits off Rafferty in 2 innings. Stolen bases—Burns, McDougall, Campbell, A. McGregor. Two-base hits—Milne. Three-base hits—Ledingham. Home runs—Burns. Struck out—By Rafferty, 3; by McGregor, 6; by Balcolm, 12. Bases on balls—Off Rafferty, 3; off McGregor, 2; off Balcolm, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Gravelin by Rafferty; McDougall by McGregor. Wild pitches—Rafferty, 4; McGregor, 1; Balcolm, 1.

Umpires—Strath in Green. Left on bases—Hawkins, 7; Bapcos, 5. Umpire—Pinky Grindle.

GOTCH A WINNER.

Humboldt, Ia., July 5.—Frank Gotch, champion wrestler, after two years' retirement, won a match with Henry Ordman, of Minneapolis, here Saturday. Gotch won in straight falls of 21 and 18 seconds respectively.

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MAY JOIN GIANTS



MARTY NYE

Deposed manager of the Victoria ball club, who is slated for a job with the Seattle Club.

BONNER MAKES IT

FIVE IN A ROW

Kaylor's Double in Eleventh Decides Fine Ball Game at Seattle

Seattle, July 5.—The Victoria Maple Leafs won from the Seattle Giants yesterday afternoon by a score of 3 to 2 in an interesting and finely played eleven-inning battle.

Kaylor's two-bagger for an opener in the eleventh was the blow that broke up the game. Kelly bunted him to third. Abstein came in on the bunt, got the ball in his most hand, but figuring that he could not get the runner at third, took the out at first, Morse covering the bag. Haworth hit a hot one to Kaylor, who knocked it down and got his man at first, but in the meantime Kaylor scored. Morse skied to Guignol.

Seattle.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Smith, l. f.	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Raymond, s. s.	5	1	1	5	3	1	0	0
Shaw, r. f.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Barth, c.	5	0	6	5	0	0	0	0
Abstein, l. b.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Killian, c. f.	5	0	0	4	1	0	0	0
Guignol, 3 b.	4	0	0	1	3	0	0	0
Morse, 2 b.	4	0	1	2	4	0	0	0
Eastley, p.	3	0	1	0	3	0	0	0
Totals	39	2	6	33	16	1	0	0

Victoria.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Tobin, l. f.	4	0	1	4	0	0	0	0
Butler, s. s.	4	0	1	2	4	0	0	0
Kaylor, r. f.	5	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
Kelly, l. b.	4	0	1	10	2	0	0	0
Haworth, c.	6	0	0	8	0	0	0	0
Menges, 3 b.	3	1	0	2	2	1	0	0
Reid, c. f.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Hoffman, 2 b.	4	1	2	4	0	0	0	0
Bonner, p.	4	0	2	1	6	0	0	0
Totals	37	3	5	33	18	1	0	0

Score by Innings—

Seattle.....0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0-2

Victoria.....0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-1-3

Summary: Two-base hit—Kaylor. Three-base hit—Smith. Sacrifice hits—Shaw, Butler, Menges. Stolen bases—Abstein, Kaylor, Bonner. Struck out—By Eastley, 5; by Bonner, 6. Bases on balls—Off Eastley, 2; off Bonner, 1. Wild pitch—Bonner. Hit by pitched ball—Tobin by Eastley; Eastley by Bonner. Double plays—Morse to Raymond to Abstein; Killian to Abstein; Raymond to Morse to Abstein. Umpire—Lynch.

Spokane, July 5.—Vancouver defeated Spokane 8 to 7 yesterday after thirteen innings of play. Both Smith and Pisk were hit hard. McQuarry's single in the thirteenth, with two on, followed by Broten's double, gave Vancouver 3. Spokane came back with a brace of tallies, but Williams was nailed trying to stretch a double into a triple, ending the rally. Roy Brown and Williams furnished flying features.

Aberdeen, July 5.—Fielding errors helped the Aberdeen Black Cats win from the Tacoma Tigers yesterday. The final score was 6 to 0.

Izzy Kaufman was in the box for Tacoma and Meikle was opposite him.

Pitcher McKenry, of the Victoria Baseball club, is the latest object of the ever-yearning major leaguers. At least three clubs would like to purchase his release from the Northwestern league, which is carrying the club.

Saturday's Game.

Victoria.....12 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2-20

Batteries—House and Stevens; Hanson, Harstad and Haworth.

MOTOR BIKE CHAMPION.

Dodge City, Kan., July 5.—Otto Walker, of Oakland, won the second annual 300-mile international motorcycle race here this afternoon, clipping thirty minutes off the world's record for the distance. Walker's time was 3 hours 55 minutes, 45 seconds. Walker rode a Harley-Davidson.

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SATURDAY'S REGATTA AT SHAWNIGAN LAKE

Lengthy Programme of Aquatic Events Has Been Prepared; Dance Follows Races

All arrangements for the tenth annual regatta to be held at Shawnigan Lake on Saturday, July 10, are now complete. Granting fine weather on the day of the races, this year's water carnival, held under the auspices of the Shawnigan Lake Athletic association, bids fair to surpass all past events staged by this club.

A special train has been chartered for the occasion, leaving the Victoria depot at 1.30 p.m. On arrival of the train at the lake the regatta will commence. In the evening a grand dance will be held in the spacious hall of the Shawnigan Lake Hotel.

The feature event of the day will be the senior four race between the J. B. A. A. and S. L. A. A. Strong crews from both clubs are entered for this race, for which Duncan & Gray, of Victoria, are presenting a handsome cup.

The following is an appended list of events, which will bring forth keen competition, and for which handsome prizes are being presented:

1. Sailing race, class B boats.
2. Motor launch race.
3. Outboard motor boat race.
4. Single sculls, pleasure boats. Boys under 16.
5. Single sculls, pleasure boats. Girls under 16.
6. Single sculls, pleasure boats. Men's.
7. Lapstreak fours. Club fours.
8. Double scull, pleasure boats. Lady and gent.
9. Double scull, pleasure boats. Boy and girl under 16.
10. Senior fours. J. B. A. A. vs. S. L. A. A.
11. Single scull, pleasure boats. Ladies.
12. Junior fours. J. B. A. A. vs. S. L. A. A.
13. Swimming race, 100 yards. Men's.
14. Swimming race, 50 yards. Boys'.
15. Canoe doubles. Men's.
16. Upset canoe race.
17. Greasy pole.

VICTORIA EXPERTS

WON MOST GAMES

B. C. Electric Club Put Up Good Fight in Tennis Match

A friendly match between teams representing the Victoria Tennis club and the B. C. Electric Railway Tennis club, took place on Saturday afternoon. Out of the nine events the Victoria club won 7, the score by games being: Victoria, 68; B. C. Electric railway, 31. The following is the complete score:

Garrett and Marshall (V.) beat A. T. Goward and Kiggell (B.C.E.R.), 7-4; Adams and Pryce (B.C.E.R.), 8-2; Horsey and Ingalls (B.C.E.R.), 8-2; Phelin and Martin (V.) beat Adams and Pryce (B.C.E.R.), 8-3; Horsey and Ingalls (B.C.E.R.), 10-1; lost to Goward and Kiggell (B.C.E.R.), 4-7.

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SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

BLANKET FINISH MARKS KEEN RACE

TULAMEEN WINS BRENTWOOD HOTEL CUP

First Three Boats Furnish Splendid Finish; International Event to Be Raced in August

In one of the greatest motor boat finishes ever witnessed on the Coast, the Tulameen, captained by Mr. Green, of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, won the annual race for the magnificent Brentwood Hotel Cup, on Saturday afternoon. A bare minute separated the second craft from the winner, the Tokete, captained by F. J. Barrow, while sixty seconds behind came the Rover, captained by Cliff Denham. It was a thrilling finish for the forty-four mile course, and speaks volumes for the skill of the different craft. Fifteen boats took part in the big contest, and the handicapping was attended to by the Royal Victoria Yacht Club committee. The entry of the fastest boats on the Island made the handicapping a difficult proposition, but the blanket finish of the high powered craft proved highly exciting. The Brentwood Cup will be held by the Royal Victoria Yacht Club for a year, while the winning skipper, Mr. Green, received a smaller replica of the huge trophy. Gold fobs were given to the captains of the second and third boats, the prizes being distributed at the Hotel dance in the evening by Mrs. Bayner. Quite a crowd from the city took part in the dancing, special arrangements being made by Manager H. Cancellor, to look after the interests of the Yacht members and their friends.

Perfect weather enabled the boats to cover the course from Cadboro Bay to the Brentwood Hotel in especially good time, the craft being favored with a running tide, although a cross wind made steering difficult. There were very few incidents during the race, engine break-downs and minor troubles holding up some of the boats. The winning craft, piloted by Skipper Green did not have any trouble though the Rover, with Cliff Denham

at the wheel, was held up for five minutes with victory in sight. A drifting log got tangled up between the propeller and steering gear and refused to be shaken off. As Mr. Denham's boat made the fastest time of the day, leaving the Yacht Club at 2:08, and arriving at Brentwood at 5:42, a matter of 3:34 for the distance. It will be seen that he would have had a fine chance to win but for the delay.

The fight for the places outside of the prize list was also interesting. The sixth, seventh and eighth boats were only three minutes apart, and when it is taken into consideration that the cross wind caused the small cruisers to roll considerably, it will be seen that for motor boat racing, the finishes were exceptionally keen. The craft were moored for the night in Brentwood Bay and the jolly skippers spent the week-end at the hotel. The complete summary of the race follows:

1. Tulameen, Skipper Green, time of arrival, 5:40.
2. Tokete, Skipper Barrow, time of arrival, 5:41.
3. Rover, Skipper Denham, time of arrival, 5:42.
4. Theilla, Skipper Hensall, time of arrival, 5:58.
5. Murielle, Skipper Williams, time of arrival, 6:00.
6. My Fancy, Skipper Bridgman, time of arrival, 6:04.
7. D. M. K., Skipper Ketchen, time of arrival, 6:05.
8. Sheila, Skipper Stewart, time of arrival, 6:06.
9. G. G. G., Skipper G. G. G., time of arrival, 6:18.
10. Nenoni, Skipper Cornwall, time of arrival, 6:20.

Last year the Sheila, owned and piloted by Skipper Stewart, won the cup, with the Nenoni, second. Both of these boats finished in the ruck this year, having to carry heavier handicaps because of their showing last summer.

Manager H. Cancellor, of the Brentwood Bay hotel, announces that the International trophy, donated by the hotel last year to the Pacific International Power Boat Association, will be competed for some time in August.

This splendid cup, which was won last year by the Vamoose, representing the Seattle Yacht Club, is open to all motor boats on the Coast, the course being from Seattle to Brentwood Bay. The cup must be won three times before becoming the property of any motor boat owner and it is at present held by the Seattle Yacht Club.

MAXWELL CAR WON 300-MILE CONTEST

Iowa City, Ia., July 5.—Eddie Rickenbacker, driving a Maxwell yesterday afternoon, won the 300-mile automobile race over a two-mile dirt oval. His time was 4:06:56, an average of 74.70 miles an hour. Eddie O'Donnell, in a Duesenberg, finished second, and Tom Alley, also piloting a Duesenberg, was third.

O'Donnell's time was 4:03:21, and Alley's 4:12:37.

Rickenbacker won the event last year. Dario Resta, who was a strong favorite for the event, dropped out of the race early on account of engine trouble. The track was slow and lumpy, due to excessive rains.

While rounding the north turn a front wheel of Rickenbacker's Maxwell struck the rear of the Ogren special. The Ogren car turned over and was smashed. C. C. Cox, the driver, suffered a broken leg and two broken ribs pierced his lungs. He is in a serious condition. His mechanic, Vic McGraw, escaped with a broken leg.

OFFICERS OF KENT TO PLAY UNION CLUB

A Cricket match between the Union club and officers of H. M. S. Kent will be played at the Jubilee Hospital grounds on Tuesday, July 6, at 2 p. m. An admission of twenty-five cents will be charged for the match.

The following team will represent the Union club: H. R. Orr, Capt; R. H. Pooley, H. S. Edgar, A. G. Tracy, R. B. Paton, W. H. Hayward, E. B. Hart, J. G. Coville, D. L. Gillespie, A. Coles, W. H. Spalding.

This will be the second game between these teams. The first was played on June 24 at the Canteen grounds and resulted in a win for the officers of H. M. S. Kent by nine runs.

GARRISON ELEVEN NOW TOP LEAGUE

Surprises in Saturday Games;
Splendid Team Batting
a Feature

League Standing.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Garrison	7	7	0	0	21
Fifth Regiment	9	7	2	0	21
Aibion	8	6	2	0	18
Civil Service	9	5	4	0	15
Victoria A1	9	4	5	0	12
Civic Association	7	5	2	0	6
Victoria A2	2	2	6	0	6
Five C's	8	2	6	0	6
Congregational	9	2	7	0	6

Results.

Garrison, 289; Fifth Regiment, 123.
Five C's, 204; Victoria A2, 100.
Congos, 101; Victoria A1, 35.
Civil Service, 227; Civic Association, 104.

Garrison's smashing victory over the Fifth Regiment and their advance to the top of the Victoria and District Cricket league standing was the feature of the week-end cricket schedule. The Garrison eleven rolled up one of the biggest totals of the year over the Artillerymen, and the Fifth Regiment bowlers appeared powerless to stop them. Another surprise was the defeat of the Victoria A1 eleven by the Congregationalists, the latter winning by eight wickets. Five C's went over the 200 mark in defeating the Victoria A2 team, while the Civil Service had little difficulty winning from the Civic Association.

Splendid team hitting featured the play, the Garrison putting together 289 runs. R. H. Pooley topped this club with 73. R. V. Lea, of the Five C's, compiled the best total of the afternoon, scoring 94 runs against the Victoria A2 on the Jubilee hospital grounds. Lea was well on his way to the century mark when bowled by Mitchell with a perfect ball. N. Speake, of the Civil Service, had 41 against the Civic Association, Robertson, of the Garrison, scoring 62. Quite a few of the scores hovered around the half-century mark, Erickson, of the Congregationalists, took seven wickets for seventeen runs, this being the best bowling performance of the day.

University Income won from the Aibion at the school grounds on Saturday, the totals being 145 to 136, the School winning by five wickets.

Some excellent individual scores were registered in the Garrison-Fifth Regiment match, the complete summary being:

Garrison.	
C. Q. M. S. Askey, c Earnshaw, b Birch	37
S. Sgt. Wyndham, b Wells	6
Lieut. Marshall, c Wells, b Westwood	19
Q. M. S. Robertson, b Attwell	63
Mr. Beale, c Bush, b Westwood	21
Mr. R. H. Pooley, b Wells	73
Pte. Montgomery, c Sumner, b Wells	11
Sgt. Stevens, c Birch, b Westwood	0
Capt. Martin, c Denby, b Wells	25
Bdr. Kelly, b Wells	0
Sgt. Read, not out	1
Extras	12
Total	289

Fifth Regiment, C. G. A.	
Cpl. Bush, b Marshall	45
Gr. Sumner, c Beale, b Askey	7
Gr. Westwood, b Kelly	1
Capt. Birch, c Kelly, b Pooley	18
Lieut. Denby, c Montgomery, b Pooley	9
Gr. Wells, b Kelly	39
Bdr. Earnshaw, c Kelly, b Pooley	2
Gr. Green, b Kelly	2
Gr. Fowler, b Askey	1
Gr. Attwell, not out	1
Lieut. Craddock, b Kelly	2
Extras	2
Total	123

Bowling Analysis.	
Garrison.	
Westwood	O. W. R.
Wells	29 3 51
Birch	17 2 5 75
Green	11 1 23
Denby	5 0 18
Attwell	4 6 21
Attwell	7 1 27
Fifth Regiment, C. G. A.	
Kelly	O. W. R.
Askey	14 2 4 36
Pooley	10 2 44
Marshall	6 3 30
Marshall	2 1 10

MAJOR LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago, 8; Pittsburgh, 5.
First game—Cincinnati, 1; St. Louis, 6.
Second game—Cincinnati, 3; St. Louis, 2.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	24	25	.488
Philadelphia	24	25	.488
St. Louis	23	26	.469
Pittsburgh	26	35	.426
Brooklyn	31	35	.470
Boston	30	35	.462
Cincinnati	28	34	.452
New York	27	32	.459

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit, 8; Chicago, 7 (10 innings).

St. Louis, 2; Cleveland, 6.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	46	24	.657
Detroit	42	27	.609
Boston	37	24	.607
Washington	32	30	.516
New York	34	32	.515
Cleveland	24	41	.400
St. Louis	25	32	.438
Philadelphia	23	42	.354

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Kansas City, 12; St. Louis, 5.

Baltimore, 3; Newark, 6.

Chicago, 5; Pittsburgh, 4.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Kansas City	42	23	.646
Chicago	40	29	.577
Pittsburgh	37	30	.552
St. Louis	38	32	.543
Newark	35	35	.500
Brooklyn	39	40	.492
Buffalo	27	37	.422
Baltimore	26	49	.347

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Portland, 7; Oakland, 6.

First game—Venice, 5; San Francisco, 3.

Second game—Venice, 5; San Francisco, 6.

First game—Los Angeles, 1; Salt Lake, 6.

Second game—Los Angeles, 5; Salt Lake, 4.

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SPORTING GOSSIP

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Joe Dakers will join the local squad at once.

Lorne Thomas is forming a lacrosse club at the Work Point barracks.

Chet Neff has a mighty slim claim on the lightweight championship.

There is a proposition amongst local

ball-players to form a semi-pro. club and have Pinky Grindle manage the team.

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A swimming handicap will be held at the Gorge to-morrow night.

Seattle fans are despairing of their club ever getting out of the cellar.

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Otto Nye has been playing pretty fair for the Vancouver club.

Bob Brown is still in uniform with his patched up ball club.

The Beavers are doing pretty fair, but the club has been lucky in getting good pitchers.

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Four Million Volunteers For the British Army

(London Daily News.)



In the conduct of war facts are the only things that count. Illusions are worse than useless; they are dangerous, nature like gravitation. It is not an article of faith. It is simply a system which the free genius of our age has tried and proved. Before they discard it they will ask whether it has broken under the burden of their greatest war, waged against their greatest enemy. They will require proof that it has broken. Up to the present no proof of its breaking has been produced.

On the contrary, all the available evidence has vindicated the efficiency of the voluntary system which is the breath of our freedom. Rhetoric and sentiment and sophistry have no bearing on this matter. They are irrelevant, whatever specious form they may assume. The most convincing proof of the efficiency of the voluntary system is the fact that Lord Kitchener is satisfied with it. The nation rightly regards Lord Kitchener as its greatest soldier. His faith in him is unshaken and unshakable. In all his speeches he has declared that he is absolutely satisfied with the quality and the superabundant quantity of the incomparable soldiers which the voluntary system has produced. He has at every stage of the war got all the young warriors he asked for, and more. This is a shining fact which cannot be gainsaid. He glory in it.

Training and Equipment.

At one period the ardent torrent of eager patriots overflowed the reservoirs, and the war office was forced to check the spate of valor by raising the height standard from 5 feet 4 inches to 5 feet 6 inches. That, again, is a splendid fact which cannot be denied. Probably it would have been crasier to enroll the fighting men and send them back to their homes until the military authorities were able to enroll a full regiment; house, feed, clothe, train, and equip them. But the warriors were aye ready, and when Lord Kitchener summoned them they came back proudly. He has never called in vain. His latest call is for another 500,000 volunteers, and he is getting them as fast as he can handle them. Once more, these are heroic facts which cannot be controverted.

It is known that Germany, with all her military expertise, cannot train and equip more than 800,000 men at the same time. We do not know how many soldiers are now being trained and equipped in this country, for the enemy must be hospitalized; but it is certain that Lord Kitchener would have called for more than 500,000 men if more were needed and more could be handled. If our youth were flung at the war office faster the machine could not digest it. This is another fact which cannot be passed by rhetoric. On October 19 the Morning Post published a letter from an officer at the front in which he said:

"I think the recruiting in England is the most wonderful part of the whole war. Where on earth are they putting them, and how on earth do they clothe and feed them?"

Four Million Volunteers.

But the nation has freely given far more than 500,000 men. The army estimates in February provided for 2,000,000 men. These, and perhaps more than these, are serving. In that total are included the men in the navy, in the mine-sweepers, in the armed auxiliary vessels, in the patrols, in the naval volunteer battalions. Moreover, at least a million men have been rejected as physically unfit, a proportion of 25 per cent. That gives us a grand total of 4,000,000 men who have volunteered. Here again is an efficient fact which rebukes the fearmongers.

The military correspondent of the Times on November 7 stated some facts which are staggering. He said

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Isle of Man Are Affected by
Loss of Tourist Traffic

When San Marino, with its thirty-two square miles of territory in Northern Italy, declared war on Austria-Hungary and assumed the king of Italy that its thirty-nine officers and 950 soldiers desired nothing better than to march to Vienna in the van of a victorious Italian army, public attention was drawn to the fact that many small peoples have been cast into the present European maelstrom. Here and there about the map of Europe these petty countries may be seen if one looks very hard, but, despite their size, many of them have glorious traditions and histories and can point with pride to some records which the large powers might well envy. Among the more interesting of these independent and semi-independent territories are Luxembourg, Monaco, Lichtenstein, the Isle of Man, the Isle of Herm and the smallest of republics, San Marino.

Each of them has sent men of war; all of them have suffered. Inhabitants of the Isle of Man, for instance, are reported to be in a state bordering on starvation, because the tourist traffic on which they have lived has been stopped, while Monte Carlo and its vicinity is said to resemble a large hospital, the wonderful hotels and pleasure palaces being filled with wounded soldiers. Luxembourg was the first to know the terrors of war, for the German soldiers swarmed into the little grand duchy at the outbreak of hostilities.

San Marino has a population of about nine thousand five hundred people, and the entry of the tiny republic into the war is in reality of great assistance to Italy, despite the smallness of its army. Had San Marino declared its neutrality it would have afforded a haven for Austrian aeroplanes, which, having down over Italian territory could have alighted in the republic and claimed immunity from capture. Curiously enough, San Marino, it is said, has been in a state of war with Austria for almost half a century, or since the Italians and Austrians in 1566 fought with each other. The republic at that time declared war, and when peace was concluded failed to ratify it, it is said, and the matter was entirely overlooked by all concerned. According to tradition, the republic was founded by St. Marino during the persecutions under Diocletian, while his companion, St. Leo, founded the village of that name.

The written history of the little republic begins with the ninth century, the monastery of St. Marino having existed since 885. In 1563 San Marino fell into the hands of Caesar Borgia. It regained its liberty and long preserved it, and in 1631 was formally recognized by Napoleon. It entered it in 1849 and there disbanded its army.

The supreme power of the republic resides in a general assembly, which meets semi-annually. It is governed by two captains, selected twice a year from sixty life members of the great council, which is composed of twenty representatives of the nobility, twenty of the landowners and twenty of the citizens. In time of great stress it is estimated that San Marino could raise an army of 1,200 men. Its treaty of friendship with Italy was renewed last year, and extradition treaties were renewed at the same time with England, Belgium, Holland and the United States.

The Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, southeast of Belgium, felt the iron heel of the German invader at the outbreak of the present war. The army of the Grand Duke consists of 150 gentlemen volunteers, while the council consists of fifteen members. The government, however, is almost entirely in the hands of the Grand Duke, who must introduce all bills into the chamber of deputies, which is elective and consists of 48 members.

In connection with Germany's invasion it is interesting to note that Prussian troops had not been in the grand duchy since 1872. By modifications of the treaty of Vienna the garrisoning of the fortress of Luxembourg had passed into Prussian hands, an arrangement which lasted until 1867. The treaty of London, signed May 11, 1867, decided that the Prussian garrison must be withdrawn and the fortress dismantled. That was done in 1872. At the same time the great powers guaranteed the neutrality of the grand duchy, and, although a member of the German Zollverein, Luxembourg formed a sovereign and independent state. The grand duchy had no opportunity to declare neutrality in the present war, it was said.

With the exception of San Marino and Monaco, the smallest independent state in Europe is Lichtenstein. The little principality lies south of Lake Constance and extends along the right bank of the Rhine, opposite Swiss territory. It covers about 61 square miles and has a population of 9,477 people. A recent report from Switzerland stated that the reigning prince had declared the neutrality of his country, which brought down upon him the wrath of Emperor Francis Joseph, who, it is said, threatened dire consequences to the little principality unless it should cast its influence for Austria-Hungary. Compulsory military service in the principality was abolished in 1863, and army until then having been 91 strong.

Monaco, in Southeastern France is the smallest of the sovereign principalities of Europe. It has an area of about eight square miles. The population is more than 15,000. The prince is an absolute ruler, and there is no parliament. He is advised by a small council of state, the members of which he appoints himself. The mayor and other municipal authorities are also appointed by the prince, a governor-general presiding over the general administration of affairs. The little principality passed under French protection in 1860. As a result of the war and the absence of tourists the gayeties of Monte Carlo

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have been greatly curtailed. Scores of the able-bodied citizens have joined the French colors and now are at the front.

The Isle of Herm is one of the Channel group near Guernsey, and in 1889 it was leased to a German corporation. The company later leased it to Prince von Bluecher, a descendant of the famous Waterloo general. When war was declared between Germany and Great Britain Mr. Reginald McKenna, then home secretary, sent a force of men to take possession of the small island.

and. They found a large wireless plant had been erected on it.

A youngster one day eluded punishment by creeping under a table, where his mother could not reach him. Shortly after, his father came in, and, when told of the state of affairs, crawled on his hands and knees in search of his son and heir, when, to his astonishment, he was greeted with this inquiry:—"Hullo, father! Is she after you, too?"

Mother—"Tommy, you said you'd been to Sunday school?" Tommy (with a far-away look)—"Yes, mamma." Mother—"How does it happen that your hands smell of fish?" Tommy—"I carried home the Sunday school magazine, and the outside is all about Jonah and the whale."

He—"And here comes that Mrs. Bornwell, the society leader who has gone on the stage." She—"Oh, I do want to see her act, dreadfully." He—"She always does."

At the War Office.—Young Miss—"Oh, please could you tell me how to find Lord Kitchener's room? I want to see him particularly, and I won't keep him long. It's just to write his favorite author and flower in my album."—Punch.

The Political Truce.—Little Boy—"Have the Germans killed Mr. Lloyd George, ma?" Mother—"Of course not, dear. Why do you ask?" Boy—"Well, I haven't heard a word 'bout him lately."—Punch.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

LOCAL STOCKS SHOW MODERATE STRENGTH

Several Issues Move Narrowly on Account of American Holiday

On account of Independence Day all American markets were closed to-day and this exerted a restraining influence on the Victoria stock exchange. Price changes of most stocks were moderately hardened, but Granby, McGillivray, Lucky Jim, Standard Lead and other issues chiefly traded in on the Spokane and New York markets, moved narrowly. Victoria-Phoenix-Brewery shares were offered at one point cheaper, but inquiry for this type of issue is not prominent at this time.

Blackbird Syndicate	14.00	14.00
B. C. Refining Co.	1.00	1.00
Can. Copper Co.	1.00	1.00
Crow's Nest Coal	1.00	1.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	1.00	1.00
Coronation Gold	1.00	1.00
Granby	1.00	1.00
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	1.00	1.00
Lucky Jim Zinc	1.00	1.00
McGillivray Coal	1.00	1.00
Portland Canal	1.00	1.00
Portland Cement	1.00	1.00
Standard Lead	1.00	1.00
Stewart M. & D.	1.00	1.00
Stewart Star	1.00	1.00
Stewart Land	1.00	1.00
Victoria Phoenix Brew.	1.00	1.00

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, July 5.—October wheat was sold at 104 on the local market. Other months were also easier. Winnipeg market opened 1/2c lower on July and 1/2c lower on October. Quite a quantity of selling orders came from country points. At noon the decline was 2/2c on July and 2/2c on October, with a weak undertone. Oats opened 1/2c lower on July, and 1/2c lower on October. Oats were easier later while flax strengthened.

In the cash department there was a fair inquiry for numbers 1, 2 and 3 northern wheat by exporters to fill space and very light offerings. Oats, barley and flax were not in demand.

Winnipeg wheat futures closed 2/2c to 2/2c lower. Oats closed 1/2c to 1/2c lower. Flax closed 2/2c to 4/2c lower.

Wheat—	Open.	Close.
July	120	120 1/2
Oct.	102 1/2	102 1/2
Dec.	101 1/2	101 1/2
Oats—	Open.	Close.
July	58	58
Oct.	42 1/2	42 1/2
Flax—	Open.	Close.
July	151 1/2	151 1/2
Oct.	152 1/2	152 1/2

Cash prices: Wheat—1 No. 1, 128; 2 No. 1, 125; 3 No. 1, 121; No. 2, 117; Oats—2 C. W., 56; 3 C. W., 56; extra 1 feed, 56.

Flax—1 N. W. C., 151 1/2; 2 C. W., 148.

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R. W. PERRY,
Manager Victoria Branch

\$1,000 RETURNED BY T. BIRKETT TO-DAY

He Made a Large Profit on Sale of Binoculars to Government

Ottawa, July 5.—Another one thousand dollars of "restitution" money is now in the hands of the government as the result of inquiry which is taking place regarding the war contracts. It will be recalled that in connection with the Powell drug and bandages contract, Powell, or more properly speaking, W. F. Garland, M. P., returned \$6,306. The \$1,000 returned to-day came from Thomas Birkett, who made a large profit on the sale of binoculars.

The cheque was made out in favor of John Thompson, government counsel. It was accompanied by the statement that Mr. Birkett is willing to pay over whatever excess in profits Sir Charles Davidson, the commissioner, thinks should be returned. The amount may be more or less than one thousand dollars but the cheque has been paid over as a matter of good faith. It will be turned over to the minister of finance for safekeeping without delay.

The binoculars inquiry was concluded to-day.

HON. J. H. HOWDEN WAS ON THE STAND TO-DAY

Winnipeg, July 5.—Hon. J. H. Howden, attorney-general in the House of Commons, told the royal commission this morning that in March he had made an arrangement with Wm. Chambers, introduced to him by G. M. Newton as representing the Liberals, by which all election protests entered by both sides in the province were to be dropped. Chambers, he said, had wanted \$50,000 as a consideration, but finally, according to the ex-minister, he had been paid \$25,000, which shortly afterwards he had wanted to return, but which Mr. Howden had refused to accept. Mr. Howden said he had got \$50,000 from Dr. Simpson. The half which had not been paid to Chambers, he said, had been returned to Dr. Simpson.

FOUND BOTTLE WHICH HAD HELD SULPHURIC ACID

Washington, July 5.—The police have found the house in which Frank Holt stayed in Washington when he came to plant the bomb which wrecked a room in the capitol. It is a rooming house situated between the capitol and the Union station.

IN HONOR OF HOLIDAY.

The Hague, July 5.—Twelve thousand Belgian soldiers interned at Zeist held an athletic meeting to-day in honor of the American national holiday. The games were arranged in appreciation of the timely help given by Americans which saved thousands of the interned soldiers' fellow-citizens from starvation. The camp was decorated with American, Dutch and Belgian flags.

WHOLESALE MARKET.

Apples (imported)	2.40
Apples (local)	2.25
Bacon	23
Bananas	10 1/2
Beets, per sack	1.25
Butter, New Zealand prints	27
Cabbage (local), per lb.	1.00
Celery, doz.	1.50
Cheese, per lb.	25 1/2
Cucumbers (local hot-house)	60 1/2
Eggs (local), doz.	27
Eggs (selected)	24
Garlic, per lb.	35
Green Onions	35
Grapefruit (Cal.), per box	3.75
Haddock (new), per lb.	12
Herring, per lb.	10
Finnan Haddock, per lb.	12 1/2
Shrimps (imported), lb.	20
Crabs, 2 for	25
Crabs, lb.	30 1/2
Salmon Bellies, lb.	15
Flounders, lb.	10 1/2
Soles	10
Kippers	10
Haddock Fillets	18; 2 for 35

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D. A. THOMAS IS IN UNITED STATES NOW

Representative of British Government Reached New York To-day

STATES THAT HE WILL VISIT CANADA SHORTLY

New York, July 5.—The American liner St. Louis arrived here to-day from Liverpool. She was escorted down the English Channel by two torpedo boat destroyers to a distance west of Daunt's Rock, probably owing to the presence on board of D. A. Thomas, the British capitalist and coal operator. Mr. Thomas has come here to supervise and expedite the production of munitions for the allies.

The two destroyers remained with the St. Louis two days and night, it was said, and did not leave her until the war zone had been cleared.

When the St. Louis docked here Mr. Thomas was met at the pier by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador to the United States and by Mr. D. Straight, of the firm of J. F. Morgan & Company. Mr. Thomas was accompanied on the trip across by his wife, his niece, Miss Jameson, his secretary, R. H. Carr, and two business associates, V. Lloyd-Owen and R. A. Mahone. One of Mr. Morgan's yachts, its name not distinguishable through the pouring rain, lay close to the pier ready to take Mr. Thomas and his party aboard.

"I have come to this continent for an indefinite stay," Mr. Thomas said. "I may stay till the end of the war, and I don't know how long that will be. It looks as though the war might last a long time. But no matter how long it lasts there can be but one ending—Germany must be defeated, and will be."

"My business in the United States and Canada—I expect to go to Canada very soon—is to co-operate with Mr. Morgan's firm and firms in Canada in the purchase of munitions of war for Britain. In this connection I want to say that there has been no criticism of the manner in which Mr. Morgan has fulfilled his contracts. Any criticism in the past was chiefly in Canada and was to the effect that Canada had not been favored so much in the award of contracts as the United States."

Mr. Thomas said he did not care to comment on the latter subject. His immediate plans, he added, were not ripe for publication, but embraced a trip to Canada within the near future.

News of the attempt to assassinate J. P. Morgan had been received aboard the St. Louis.

"It gave us all a feeling of nervousness," said Mr. Thomas.

WERE BURIED TO-DAY.

Berlin, July 5.—The sailors of the German mine-layer Albatross who were killed in an engagement on July 2 with a Russian cruiser squadron off the Swedish island of Gotland, were buried to-day with simple honors, the Swedish authorities and civilians participating.

CANADIANS ON LEAVE.

London, July 5.—About twenty-five members of the Canadian Division are on leave from the front, having crossed on Saturday's boat. These are the first of what is hoped may be occasional parties of Canadians returning here for brief stays.

HAS HAD RELAPSE.

Rochester, N. Y., July 5.—Archbishop James Edward Quigley, who has been seriously ill at his brother's home here, has had another relapse, and the doctors say to-day that his condition is very grave.

Chinese and Gun.—Judgment was reserved until this afternoon by the magistrate in the case of Hong Kow, accused of stealing a gun from a patriot.

Hong claimed that he had got a loan from another Chinese, and bought the gun, but there were so many contradictions in his story that the court desired to consider the case before coming to a decision. Hong on Saturday made four attempts to end his life by strangulation, first with a piece of rope, then with his belt, next with a piece of cloth he picked up and finally with his socks. He was in the end stripped, and put in a straight jacket, and watched all night and through yesterday. He was being watched by other prisoners when he made the last attempt.

Port Renfrew Case.—A session of provincial police court is being held this afternoon at which Rev. Wm. H. G. Gibson, Port Renfrew, is being tried on a charge of stealing a quantity of hay from the Stone meadows, and Louis Le Blanc with aiding and abetting him. The matter seems to arise out of a dispute as to the right to cut hay from the meadows. Mr. Gibson claims that he has been cutting it there for several years, but the B. C. Lumber Corporation this year rented the privilege to another man.

Waiting Competition.—In the Connaught hall to-morrow evening there will be a prize waiting competition for which prizes will be given.

WARNS HUNS AGAINST DRAWING IN STATES

Admiral Von Truppel Writes in Der Tag; Germany's Reply Delayed

Berlin, July 5.—Admiral Oscar von Truppel, at one time governor of Kiau Chau, the former German concession in the Chinese province of Shantung, captured in November by the Japanese, contributes an article to-day to Der Tag, warning his compatriots not to under-estimate the danger of a breach with the United States and asking them to weigh seriously the question whether the value of Germany's submarine warfare against British commerce is great enough to justify a continuance of its present form at the expense of a rupture with the trans-Atlantic nation.

The article is remarkable not only for its open statement regarding the wide reaching effects which the participation of the United States in the war might exercise on the future course of hostilities—effects which Admiral von Truppel says are greatly under-estimated in Germany—but also as the contribution of a naval officer. All the naval publishers of Germany hitherto heard from have been devoting their energies to sharpening public opinion against any modification of the submarine campaign and endeavoring to prevent or to limit concessions to the demands of the United States in the forthcoming German note to Washington.

The campaign between the advocates and the opponents of a compromise still is intense and delivery of the note, which a few days ago was scheduled for to-day or Tuesday, probably will be delayed several days.

It is hoped by those who favor a compromise that these days of additional consideration will produce a change in the attitude of the naval party, whose views thus far have been opposed to any note embodying proposals to exempt ships employed wholly or principally in passenger traffic from submarine attacks, though making them subject to stoppage and examination. The naval party, however, has been bringing heavy pressure to bear upon the ministers engaged in consideration of the answer.

NEGROES LYNCHED BY MOB IN GEORGIA

Macon, Ga., July 5.—Three negroes were shot to death by a mob of 500 persons last night near Round Oak and Wayside, about 30 miles from here, and the authorities to-day began a search for others who are missing.

The telephone wires leading to the villages were cut and news of the lynchings did not become known here until to-day, when sheriffs and deputies arrived with three negroes, who are being held in connection with the killing of Silas Turner, a farmer, whose death precipitated the lynchings.

RICKENBACHER WINS RACE.

Omaha, Neb., July 5.—Eddie Rickenbacher won the 300-mile automobile race to-day. Time, 3:17; 27.20. Average, 91.07 miles an hour.

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WHY CHANGES WERE MADE AT WINNIPEG

Architect Who Designed Manitoba Parliament Buildings Gives Evidence.

Winnipeg, July 5.—Before the royal commission to-day, C. W. Simon, the British architect who designed the Manitoba parliament buildings, stated that the Hon. G. R. Coldwell had given him instruction to put in caissons instead of concrete piles for the foundations as early as March 13, 1913, although the tenders had not been received until July.

Mr. Simon said he had asked the government to let him supervise the construction. He desired to see his plans carried out properly. He had laid the matter before Mr. Coldwell, who, he said, was very much opposed to his having the supervision. Later the matter had come before the government as a whole, and Simon had been told he had "as much right as any other citizen" to draw the government's attention to any flaws in the work.

Simon was asked if he could volunteer any information that would help the commission. He said the building had been raised eight feet, thus obviating the necessity of considerable excavation and reducing contractors' expenses. There had been a change in the internal face-work of the building. Originally there was to have been hollow brick lining built in with the rest of the brick work. That had not been done. The contractors were going to use split tile, a much inferior method of protecting the building against cold.

"I complained to Horwood of this change," said Mr. Simon. "I said it seemed a great pity to make changes in this free and easy way. He said to me: 'Well, you know the government has to make its campaign funds out of the extras.'"

"I considered these changes were unnecessary, more or less. There was no further expert evidence taken on changes other than Horwood's," said Mr. Simon. "Change from reinforced concrete to steel and concrete was decided upon advice of Horwood, alone. He said it was impossible to get good cement here. I have since been informed that you get very good cement in Canada."

Simon produced a copy of a letter he had sent to Sir James Alken, his counsel in Winnipeg, saying that he was "sick of the whole business and wanted to clear out." Simon also had referred to it in his diary, the reference reading: "Their architect, despite my remonstrances, repeatedly told me they had to make their campaign fund out of them." He said that "them" meant the extras, and stated that Horwood had given him this explanation several times.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Aberdeen—
Morning game R. H. E.
Tacoma 11 13 3
Aberdeen 4 9 2
Batteries—Peet and Stevens; Harkness and Vance.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh—
Morning game R. H. E.
St. Louis 3 4 2
Pittsburgh 1 7 1
Batteries—Doak and Snyder; Marmann and Gibson.
Second game R. H. E.
St. Louis 0 5 1
Pittsburgh 5 8 1
Batteries—Meadows and Snyder; Harmon and Schang.

At Chicago—

First game R. H. E.
Cincinnati 8 10 2
Chicago 5 10 4
Batteries—Schneider, Toney, Benton and Wingo; Zabel, Adams and Brennan, Archer.

At Philadelphia—

First game R. H. E.
New York 0 1 0
Philadelphia 2 9 0
Batteries—Perritt and Moore; Alexander and Killifer.

At Brooklyn—

R. H. E.
Boston 3 8 1
Brooklyn 6 9 2
Batteries—Hughes, Strand and Gowdy; Pfeiffer and McCarty.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Boston—
Morning game R. H. E.
Washington 0 3 8
Boston 4 5 0
Batteries—Ayres and Henry; Foster and Thomas.

Second game R. H. E.

Washington 0 5 2
Boston 6 9 1
Batteries—Shaw and Henry; Ruth and Cady.

At Detroit—

First game R. H. E.
Cleveland 7 9 2
Detroit 9 13 2
Batteries—Coulme and O'Neill; Coveleskie and Baker.

Second game R. H. E.

Cleveland 5 7 2
Detroit 3 11 3
Batteries—Hagerman and O'Neill; Dubuc and Miller.

At New York—

First game R. H. E.
Philadelphia 6 8 1
New York 2 8 3
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March 23, 1907.

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At a time when the preparation of artificial foodstuffs is solving more attention than ever before, and when new forms of easily assimilable fat to take the place of cod liver oil are being frequently brought to the notice of the medical profession, it is desirable that some of the older forms of administering natural fats should not be lost sight of. Among natural fats, butter easily takes first place for nutritive value, and when combined with a suitable soluble carbohydrate, a most valuable food is produced.

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TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Chicago Maru	Hori	3,800	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	July 9
Merchant	Trinick	2,375	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	July 12
Aki Maru	Noma	4,200	G. Northern	Hongkong	July 14
Jason	Dodwell	4,300	Dodwell & Co.	New York	July 15
Kenta	Turner	3,600	R. W. Green	New York	July 19
Tamba Maru	Nagase	3,800	G. Northern	Hongkong	July 28
Niagara	Rolls	7,902	C. P. R.	Sydney	July 29

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Makura	C. P. R.	Sydney	July 7		
Shidzuoka Maru	G.N.	Hongkong	July 9		
Mexico Maru	R.P.Rithet	H.K.'s	July 15		
Titan	Dodwell & Co.	Hongkong	July 16		

From Northern Ports	From West Coast
Princess Alice, C.P.R. Skagway, July 6	Tees, Holberg
Princess Rupert, G.T.P. P. Rupert, July 7	
Princess George, G.T.P. P. Rupert, July 9	
	From San Francisco
	City of Puebla, Pacific Coast, July 10
	Unatilla, Pacific Coast, July 17
	Imatilla, Pacific Coast, July 17
	City of Puebla, Pacific Coast, July 15
	For Comox
	Charmant, C.P.R. P. Rupert, July 6
	For Rivers Inlet
	Tees, Holberg, Union Steamship Co., July 7

For Vancouver	From Vancouver
Princess Victoria leaves 3 p.m. daily.	Princess Victoria arrives 1.00 p.m. daily.
Princess Mary leaves 10.30 a.m. daily.	
Princess Adelaide leaves 11.45 p.m. daily.	
	From Tacoma
	Princess Victoria arrives 6.30 a.m. daily.
	Iroquois leaves 3.30 a.m. daily.
	From Port Angeles
	Sol Duc, 10 a.m. except Sunday.
	From Seattle
	Princess Charlotte leaves 4.30 p.m. daily.
	Sol Duc, 9 a.m. except Sunday.

FULLY LOADED AKI DEPARTS DAY LATE

Liner Coming in From Orient With Big List of Passengers and Heavy Cargo

One day late the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Aki Maru, Capt. Noma, sailed from Yokohama on Thursday last with all her passenger accommodation and freight space filled. Trans-Pacific ships are invariably delayed in getting away from the other side of the pond, owing to the tremendous cargoes which they have to work. The ships have never before engaged in such a profitable business, and although the companies like to maintain their schedules they do not mind dropping behind a day or two when it means money streaming into their coffers.

The Aki Maru is bringing 34 passengers to Victoria, and has 139 for Seattle. Seventy persons are traveling in the first and second cabins, taking the ship's capacity. The steamship carries a very rich cargo, including \$1,000,000 worth of raw silk and silk goods. She carries nearly 600 tons of freight for this port and for Seattle she has nearly 5,000 tons.

Shidzuoka Sails Friday.
On Friday the steamship Shidzuoka Maru, of the same fleet, sails for the Far East with a cargo which will tax her capacity to the limit. She is now at Seattle taking considerable shipments of fish, lumber, machinery, cotton, cigarettes, clothing and general merchandise, as well as a heavy consignment of war supplies for the Russians, which will be transhipped at Kobe, Japan, to Vladivostok.

The Blue Funnel liner Jason, operating in the Panama service, is expected to arrive at San Diego to-day from Liverpool. She will only remain there a few hours, and will then proceed to San Francisco, and later on to Victoria. It is expected that the Jason will berth at this port about the middle of next week. She is bringing a light cargo to Pacific Coast ports, but a full manifest for the homeward voyage was booked for her over a month ago.

The Titan, Capt. Read, of the Blue Funnel fleet, which was here discharging cargo on Saturday, is finishing unloading at Vancouver to-day, and will clear at midnight to-night for Comox to load bunker coal. She will proceed from there to the Sound to commence loading for her outward trip to the Far East. The Titan will berth here on her way to sea on July 13. She will take on 400 Chinese passengers at this port and load about 200 tons of cargo.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Seattle, July 4.—Str. Admiral Evans and Alameda, Southwestern via South-eastern Alaska; str. Latouche, Nome via Southwestern Alaska and Fort Wells; str. Bertha, Southwestern via Southeastern Alaska; str. Hilonian, San Francisco via Victoria, B. C.; str. J. A. Moffet and Wilmington, San Francisco, via Fresno, Fort Wells, in tow of tug Tyee; str. Morning Star, British Columbia ports. Sailed: Str. Admiral Dewey, San Francisco; str. Bertha and Alameda, Tacoma; str. Matsqui and Fulton, British Columbia.

THE TIME BALL

The time ball on the Belmont building will be raised halfway at 12.45 at the top at 12.55 and dropped at 1 p.m. daily. F. Napier Denison, superintendent, Observatory, Gonzales Heights.

Benevolent Visitor (to dame who has a son at the war)—"Can't you tell what he is in?" Is it infantry, or cavalry, or artillery?" Dame—"Well, mum, where 'tis I don't exactly belong to remember, but I know 'tis shootin'!"—Punch.

HISTORIC BATTLESHIP BURNED FOR FITTINGS

Nipsic, Formerly Formidable Fighter in U. S. Navy; Ends Career on Sound Beach

Bellingham, July 5.—The touch of a match, and all that was left of the gallant old battleship Nipsic, which had helped to make naval history for nearly fifty years, was consigned to flame last week on the west shore of Lummi Island. The last word in construction in her day, only the bare hull blackened with smoke is left to speak of her career. Two incidents stand out above all the rest in the rainy days of the Nipsic. She was of Farragut's fleet at Mobile, and she was the only American vessel to come out whole in the great typhoon at Apia, Samoa, in 1889. Of her performances at Mobile much could be said. In that engagement she gave good account of herself. From then until 1889 little of note came her way. In 1889 she was stationed at Apia. Soon afterward she received orders to go to Apia, Samoa, and it was there that one of the most heroic acts of seamen was recorded.

The typhoon came up without warning. Several vessels were inside a coral reef and their captains saw the danger. Quick efforts were made to race outside. But the wind was too strong, and the vessels were soon running one another and a few minutes later all but three went on the reef.

Sank German Boat.
The Nipsic lost her sails and foundering about, collided with the German boat Eber, sending that vessel to the bottom. The Nipsic rescued most of the crew and beat on against the storm. With every shred of sail gone, Midshipman Jackson jumped to the mainmast and calling to the crew, now numbering 540, to follow him, distributed them about on the masts, literally making a human sail. The man at the helm, with this assistance, was able to poke the nose of the Nipsic right and she rode the waves to safety.

The keel of the Nipsic was laid at Bangor, Me. She went into commission as one of the best vessels in the closing days of the civil war. She was ordered rebuilt in 1879. From 1889 to 1894 the Nipsic was used as a prison ship at New York harbor. While there thousands of people trod her decks. From them silver dimes were collected and a massive bell weighing 160 pounds was cast from the coils. This bell and the twisted rudder, a relic of the Samoan typhoon, still are on display in New York.

Towed Around Horn.
When the Puget Sound naval station was established at Bremerton in 1894 the Nipsic was ordered there, being towed around the Horn. For some time the men and officers lived aboard. Later land quarters were built and the Nipsic was transformed into a training ship. This was her last service for the government. In 1912, at open auction, the Nipsic was sold to the Carlyle Packing company for \$7,000. The company fitted her up for a cold storage plant for canned salmon and also used her as a barge for carrying canneries supplies.

A year ago the Nipsic was towed to Eagle Harbor. There much of her fittings of brass and copper were removed and used to construct a private yacht. Still having considerable copper, the canning company decided to reduce the hull to ashes and junk the metal. Accordingly about six months ago she was towed to the cannery plant on Lummi Island and there beached. Last Wednesday the torch was applied. It is estimated the salvage will bring about \$15,000. Her original cost was more than \$1,000,000.

WIRELESS REPORT

July 5, 8 a.m.
Point Grey—Clear; S. E. fresh; bar., 29.78; temp., 54.
Cape Mudge—Cloudy; S. E. bar., 29.67; temp., 67; sea smooth.
Pachena—Foggy; calm; bar., 29.50; temp., 54; sea smooth.
Estevan—Raining; S. E. strong; bar., 29.60; temp., 53; sea moderate.
Triangle—Raining; S. W. bar., 29.81; temp., 62; sea rough.
Alert Bay—Raining; calm; bar., 29.55; temp., 55; sea smooth.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; S. E. strong; bar., 29.39; temp., 56; sea rough.
Prince Rupert—Raining; S. E. strong; bar., 29.28; temp., 54; sea smooth.
Ikeda—Raining; S. E. light; bar., 29.09; temp., 53; sea smooth.

TIDE TABLE

Date	Time	High	Time	Low	Time	High	Time	Low
1	1:16.7	11:51.7	10:46.7	7.8	1:16.7	11:51.7	10:46.7	7.8
2	1:28.2	12:02.2	10:57.2	8.9	1:28.2	12:02.2	10:57.2	8.9
3	1:44.5	12:16.5	11:09.5	10.0	1:44.5	12:16.5	11:09.5	10.0
4	1:43.4	12:30.4	11:24.4	11.0	1:43.4	12:30.4	11:24.4	11.0
5	1:58.3	12:38.3	11:34.3	12.0	1:58.3	12:38.3	11:34.3	12.0
6	2:08.1	12:40.1	11:39.1	13.0	2:08.1	12:40.1	11:39.1	13.0
7	2:18.2	12:38.2	11:39.2	14.0	2:18.2	12:38.2	11:39.2	14.0
8	2:28.1	12:30.1	11:24.1	15.0	2:28.1	12:30.1	11:24.1	15.0
9	2:37.9	12:15.9	11:02.9	16.0	2:37.9	12:15.9	11:02.9	16.0
10	2:46.1	11:58.1	10:40.1	17.0	2:46.1	11:58.1	10:40.1	17.0
11	2:53.8	11:38.8	10:17.8	18.0	2:53.8	11:38.8	10:17.8	18.0
12	3:00.6	11:15.6	9:54.6	19.0	3:00.6	11:15.6	9:54.6	19.0
13	3:06.9	10:50.9	9:30.9	20.0	3:06.9	10:50.9	9:30.9	20.0
14	3:12.4	10:24.4	9:06.4	21.0	3:12.4	10:24.4	9:06.4	21.0
15	3:17.9	9:56.9	8:41.9	22.0	3:17.9	9:56.9	8:41.9	22.0
16	3:23.4	9:27.4	8:16.4	23.0	3:23.4	9:27.4	8:16.4	23.0
17	3:28.9	8:56.9	7:50.9	24.0	3:28.9	8:56.9	7:50.9	24.0
18	3:34.4	8:25.4	7:24.4	25.0	3:34.4	8:25.4	7:24.4	25.0
19	3:39.9	7:53.9	6:57.9	26.0	3:39.9	7:53.9	6:57.9	26.0
20	3:45.4	7:21.4	6:30.4	27.0	3:45.4	7:21.4	6:30.4	27.0
21	3:50.9	6:48.9	6:02.9	28.0	3:50.9	6:48.9	6:02.9	28.0
22	3:56.4	6:16.4	5:35.4	29.0	3:56.4	6:16.4	5:35.4	29.0
23	4:01.9	5:43.9	5:07.9	30.0	4:01.9	5:43.9	5:07.9	30.0
24	4:07.4	5:11.4	4:40.4	31.0	4:07.4	5:11.4	4:40.4	31.0
25	4:12.9	4:38.9	4:12.9	32.0	4:12.9	4:38.9	4:12.9	32.0
26	4:18.4	4:06.4	3:45.4	33.0	4:18.4	4:06.4	3:45.4	33.0
27	4:23.9	3:33.9	3:17.9	34.0	4:23.9	3:33.9	3:17.9	34.0
28	4:29.4	3:01.4	2:50.4	35.0	4:29.4	3:01.4	2:50.4	35.0
29	4:34.9	2:28.9	2:22.9	36.0	4:34.9	2:28.9	2:22.9	36.0
30	4:40.4	1:56.4	1:55.4	37.0	4:40.4	1:56.4	1:55.4	37.0

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for light serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

NEW LIGHTHOUSE IS TO BLINK TO-NIGHT

Important Aid to Navigation Established on Cape Mudge; Radius of Ten Miles

Another important aid to navigation will be opened when Lightkeeper Davidson touches a match to the vaporized coal-oil in the tower of the new four-order light at Cape Mudge at sundown this evening. This light will be of great assistance to mariners navigating the Gulf of Georgia, as it will have a radius of ten miles in clear weather. It has almost twice the range of the old light, which has flashed from the point for a number of years. Early in the year the Marine department commenced work on the new lighthouse. The old wooden tower was torn down, and a fine concrete tower has been constructed. The light will have about 50,000 candle-power, and will flash a beam of light every five seconds.

Tenders For New Light.
The department is now anxious to make a start on the new Bonilla Island lighthouse. Tenders are being called for, and the work must be completed by the end of this year. Bonilla Island light is to belong to the outside system. It will mark the channel through Hecate strait to Prince Rupert, and will be the first light sighted after Triangle Island light is lost astern. At the present time the outside lights are not of great importance owing to the scarcity of shipping, but when Prince Rupert becomes a metropolis, and deep-sea vessels are plying in and out of there on regular schedules, the fine lights will be of inestimable value. The government is building ahead of the time, but when the business arrives there, will be no cause for an alarming cry of the shortage of aids to navigation, such as is the case with the American system in Alaska.

Leebro Arrives.
On Saturday night the lighthouse tender Leebro, Capt. Hunter, came in to port after spending three weeks in the Gulf recharging and overhauling beacons and buoys and landing stores, and supplies at the lighthouses. She is to leave to-morrow for Comox to establish the new arrange lights.

ASSAULTED HIS CHIEF

Engineer on Whaler Beats Superintending Engineer When He is Dismissed.

When William Thompson, late engineer of the steam whaler White, was told by the superintending engineer of the Victoria Whaling Company, late the Canadian North Pacific Fisheries, Limited, that his services were no longer required, he turned on his superior and administered a beating to him.

This morning the superintending engineer appeared in the city police court with his head bound up, and Thompson had to answer to a charge of assault. His plea was one of self-defence, but when the facts were disentangled from his long and rambling remarks and speeches to the court there did not appear to be any justification.

The victim of the assault stated that the whalers were being got ready for sea during the past couple of weeks, and as they were so late in starting out there was a consideration. It had been intended to send Thompson out as chief engineer of the White, but his work was unsatisfactory, and he did not seem inclined to hurry it up. On Thursday forenoon he offered him the post of second engineer but this Thompson refused so he was told that there was no further use for him. On this he struck his superior, knocked him down on the steel deck and pummeled him.

The assault was seen by H. J. Marsh, who testified to that fact.

Thompson tried to make it appear that he had been struck first and was only defending himself, but the denial of this seemed to be borne out by the defendant's own story. Thompson affected to be very much surprised that any man "could show himself so much of an animal nature as to hammer a man around." He did not see any application in this to himself, however, and he had not a mark on him to show that anyone else had hammered him.

The court was satisfied that the assault had been committed without provocation and fined Thompson \$20.

NAVY SHOWS GALLANTRY

"The navy has not yet as a whole had the opportunity of showing the old spirit which has carried us through to victory in the past; but where our men have had the opportunity of fighting above water they have shown the same pluck and endurance as our comrades ashore. Nothing has been finer than the coolness and courage shown in every case where ships have been sunk by torpedoes. Discipline has been perfect, and the men have met their deaths gallantly and unselfishly. One hears of numerous instances of men who have given up a plank to a more feeble comrade."

This was the tribute of Admiral Sir John Jellicoe to his officers and men contained in a letter to Lady Jellicoe which was forwarded to the secretary of the St. Peter's church, at Long-garden, London, a few days ago. The admiral added that he hoped Lady Jellicoe (who was present at the service) would tell the wives and families of the men how our troops had covered themselves with glory.

Horton—"Mrs. Black seems to be quite a musician." Sharpe—"Yes, she is a fine pianist." Horton—"How does she keep in practice when she is so much away from home?" "She carries a muff." Horton—"What for?" Sharpe—"Just to keep her hand in."

SHORTAGE OF SEAMEN FOR TRANSPORT WORK

London, July 5.—The executive of the British Seafarers' Union have considered the proposal of the National Sailors' and Firemen's Union for the establishment of a National Transport Association to minimize the difficulty in obtaining crews for transports.

The opinion of the Seafarers' Union, as expressed in a document issued at a recent meeting, is that the effect of the proposal that crews should be supplied exclusively by the National Sailors' and Firemen's Union and the National Union of Cooks and Stewards would be to increase rather than reduce the existing difficulty. The attempt, it is added, to enforce the scheme in the form suggested would cause grave disaffection, especially in such ports as London, Southampton and Glasgow, and the present arrangements for obtaining crews would be disorganized.

W. J. BRYAN SPOKE AT SAN FRANCISCO TO-DAY

San Francisco, July 5.—William J. Bryan, former secretary of state, orator of the Independence Day celebration at the exposition, appealed to-day to the American people to solve the international and domestic problems by applying to them the simple standards of the moral code and to relegate to their proper inferior places money as compared with man, might as compared with right.

Mr. Bryan, bareheaded in a misty wind, stood on a small platform, the centre of a vast auditorium near the main entrance of the grounds. Alone among the speakers on the programme Mr. Bryan was not in the Independence Day parade, which was military in character.

"The meaning of the flag" was Mr. Bryan's theme.

JANE ADDAMS HAS RETURNED TO STATES

New York, July 5.—Miss Jane Addams, chairman of the International Congress of Women for Peace that met at The Hague in April last, and who headed the delegations appointed at the conference to visit the various countries on a peace mission, arrived here to-day on the steamship St. Louis from Liverpool.

Miss Addams declared that the people of the warring nations were in a mood to consider peace terms, but that negotiations must come from neutrals, and the longer they were delayed the harder would be the task of restoring peace. Since the adjournment of the conference, with other delegates she has visited most of the countries at war, met and talked with leading civil and military officials and sounded each one on the prospects of peace.

"The nations at war," Miss Addams said, "have no choice but to go on. No negotiations can be suggested now by any of the nations as yet, as each feels that its cause can and must succeed. Every day that peace negotiations are delayed will make terms of peace just that much harder."

"There is some feeling in Germany that Belgium might be given up in return for concessions of territory in the Congo. In France there is the desire for the restoration of Alsace and Lorraine."

SUBMARINE WAS HIT BY SEVERAL SHELLS

Paris, July 5.—It was announced officially to-day that a French squadron sighted two submarines in the Channel yesterday and that one was hit by several shells and disappeared.

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Sheila Sundour Fabrics, 32¢ to	\$2.25
Cream or Eoru Madras, 32¢ to90c
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Dainty Nets, floral and conventional designs, in ecru, cream, ivory and white; 36¢ to	\$1.80
Scrim and Marquisettes, 23¢ to45c
Chintzes and Cretonnes, 23¢ to	\$1.13

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Picnic Baskets of bamboo and brown willow. Each, 36¢, 54¢ and60c	Enamel Tea Kettles, each, 68¢ to	\$1.80
White Enamel Mugs, per dozen, \$1.35 to	\$2.25	Tea and Coffee Pots, each, 36¢ to	\$1.35
White Enamel Cups, per dozen, \$1.58 to	\$1.80	Tea Spoons, heavy block tin, per dozen, 23¢, 37¢ and32c
White Enamel Cups and Saucers, per dozen, \$2.35, \$2.50 and	\$2.75	Dessert Spoons, heavy block tin, per dozen, only45c
Tin Coffee Boilers, each, 32¢ and36c	Knives and Forks, all steel, per dozen \$1.35	
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DUTCH LUMBERMAN STUDYING CONDITIONS

How Netherlands Feel Effect of War; Future of East Indies

Investigating methods of lumber operations on the Pacific coast, the representative of a leading Dutch firm operating limits in Sumatra, J. M. de Yonge, arrived at the Empress hotel on Saturday, after paying a visit to the limits of the Empire Lumber company at Cowichan lake.

The visitor has not been in Amsterdam since April, but of conditions in the Netherlands prior to that time, which have not materially changed since then, he has something of interest to say. In the course of a chat with the Times he remarked:

"The war is affecting my country in various ways. The farming districts are doing well because of the enhanced value of foodstuffs which can be sold in Germany, though the shipping, particularly of Rotterdam, has suffered greatly by the war. The fact that 400,000 men have been mobilized and maintained on a war footing for months has been a heavy expense to the country.

Holland does not want to enter the war, for she has nothing to gain by hostilities. She has a natural fear of Germany as a powerful neighbor which threatens absorption such as occurred with regard to the best portion of Denmark. We trade with her and she is the purchaser of enormous quantities of our goods, but we do not love Germany. The example of the neighboring country of Belgium, with 500,000 refugees telling us the tragic story at first hand has not encouraged love for Germany.

While Great Britain was not popular ten years ago, on account of the Boer war, the natural ally of sea-borne nations, our historical associations, our colonial policy which is modelled on Britain's confidence in her dominions overseas, and our common policy of free trade are close links with Great Britain, while we follow French ideals in many respects, and French is frequently spoken. Next to Great Britain we can rightly claim the greatest success as a colonizing people, and while Britain took some of our best territories away, we have still in the East Indies and elsewhere fine countries for expansion which would probably be taken away if we participated in the European war.

"Our best defence are the dykes, which would be opened as they were in 1672 in the case of an invasion. Vast areas of the provinces of Holland and Zealand would be immediately flooded many feet deep, and the defences would be concentrated around Amsterdam.

"The British holding up of supplies for Germany on the seas has checked our shipping. Amsterdam is the largest coffee and tobacco market in the world, and the results of the dislocation of trade are inevitable.

Speaking of the East Indies, where he resided for three years, chiefly in Sumatra, Mr. de Yonge says that a wonderful development has taken place. While the beautiful island of Java, the Garden of the East, has received the greatest attention, the timber and planting interests in Sumatra, and the oil deposits of Borneo hold in them a period of promise in the future.

In Sumatra his company is handling the hard woods, particularly a new variety known as rarak, which resembles teak. It is cut at the company's mill, and most of it is shipped, partially finished, to Europe. The trees do not yield as plentifully to the axe as is the case in British Columbia, and to discover economical methods of handling is the cause of his visit. Of the future of Sumatra, where he says the fierce Achenese have now turned to peaceful pursuits, he speaks in the highest praise.

FRUIT CONVENTION

Development of British Columbia Market on the Prairies Will Be Discussed.

The convention of fruit-growers, dealers, transportation men and consumers which is to be held in Calgary on Thursday and Friday of this week promises to be greatly beneficial to the fruit-growing industry in this part of the province especially. Already a trade has been commenced through the energy of the Gordon Head growers which is certain to develop and be extended.

At the convention in Calgary problems of transportation and distribution will be discussed, and plans formulated for the better utilization of the prairie markets by the growers of British Columbia.

The provincial government will be represented by R. M. Winslow, provincial horticulturist; R. M. Palmer, Cowichan Bay, and two other members of the executive of the B. C. Fruit-growers' association, will attend on behalf of that body, and Mr. Palmer will also represent the growers of Vancouver Island generally; and the Gordon Head Fruit-growers' association will have as delegates H. H. Grist, the secretary and manager, and W. S. Somers, the vice-president. All these gentlemen left for the mainland last night.

Two niggers were quarrelling once in front of a huge hotel at Saratoga, and a lady, passing, stopped to hear them. "Nigger," said the older of the pair, "does you know what I wish? I wish dat hotel yonder had a thousand rooms in it, and you wuz laid out dead in every room."

SHRINERS' CONVENTION

Victoria Delegation to Do Some Publicity Work at Seattle; Many Visitors Coming Here.

Victoria will be well represented at the meeting at Seattle of the Imperial Council A. A. O. N. M. S., July 13, 14, and 15, and many of the delegates who go to Seattle from parts of the United States will come to Victoria as part of their sight-seeing trip. Among these is the Pittsburg delegation of 135 prominent men, and the Ken Temple of West Virginia.

The Victoria delegation, numbering 450 Shriners, plans to do some publicity work while at the convention, and to induce many of the delegates to visit Victoria. They will distribute 2,000 booklets and souvenirs among the visitors.

Monday, July 12, is Canadian Day at the convention, and the Victoria delegation has been chosen as part of the escort for the Imperial Potentate in the procession. The pageant will include 75,000 Shriners, Medina Temple, Chicago, bringing west a delegation of 11,000. There will be a sixty-piece band from Lulu Temple, Philadelphia, and a forty-five-piece band from the Mecca Temple, New York.

The official divan of Gizeh Temple, Victoria, is as follows: W. H. Richards, illustrious potentate; Hon. Thos. Taylor, chief rabbi; John B. Jardine, assistant chief rabbi; Earl E. Robinson, H. P. and prophet; John Minto, oriental guide; F. V. Hobbs, treasurer; E. E. Leason, recorder; Charles E. Welch and Stephen Jones, representatives.

ARE VISITING COAST

Canadian Manufacturers' Association Delegation is Urging Trade With Siberia.

The visit to the coast of J. H. Sherrard, president of the Canadian Manufacturers' association, who is accompanied by W. J. Mooney, of Stratford, Ont., and J. L. Apedale, of Montreal, as a delegation to explain the objects of the Export Association of Canada, is important in view of the possibility they hold out of developing trade with Siberia from British Columbia ports.

"In the readjustment of the world's trade which is now taking place great demands will be made upon the industries of the North American continent," observed Mr. Sherrard in Vancouver. "Germany and Austria will be shut out of the markets of the allied countries. Belgium and France are for the time being incapacitated and will require immense quantities of materials for reconstruction. Russia, formerly one of Germany's chief customers, is entering upon a great economic development, and for the next generation at least, will be one of the most attractive markets in the world. Great Britain, even although manufacturing to her limit, can supply only a fraction of the demands to be made upon her.

"The Export Association of Canada is organized on practical lines. It is a limited liability corporation, with an authorized capital of \$500,000, of which \$100,000 is being immediately issued. The B. C. Manufacturers' association has not lost sight of the opportunities for trade with Russia Asia, and before the Canadian manufacturers came out had been working on the subject for some time.

Band Concert in Beacon Hill.—There were several hundred people drawn to Beacon Hill park yesterday afternoon by the announcement of the band concert to be given by the Fifth Regiment band. The lack of the usual Sunday afternoon concert which the public has been enjoying for two or three summers until this one has been greatly felt, and as a matter of fact the park is not used as much on that day as it has been when the band is playing. The programme given yesterday was an excellent one, and was played with all the artistic power of the musicians who have been assembled under the baton of Bandmaster Smith. While all the numbers were rendered with ability there was a particularly generous amount of applause for the "Orpheus" overture, for Rimsky's "Eventide" and for the pot-pourri of recitings songs. Bandmaster Auchincloss played "Out on the Deep," as a trombone solo quite effectively.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz quarts.

Ideals are not the easiest possessions to have and manage, and they may even rise to the level of serious inconveniences.—H. G. Wells.

FRIENDS PAY THEIR FAREWELL TRIBUTE

Many Attend the Funeral of Late Duncan Ross on Saturday; Eulogy by Pastor

There was a large and a deeply sympathetic congregation of citizens in the First Presbyterian church on Saturday afternoon at the public service over the body of the late Duncan Ross. This service had been preceded by a private one at the residence 1560 Rockland avenue, for the family and a few close personal friends.

In the gathering in the church were representatives of all classes in the community, and men who had been connected with the late Mr. Ross in business and political relations. The service was a simple one, in accordance with the tastes of the dead, and was reverentially joined in by the congregation. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "The Sands of Time," and Robert Morrison rendered "One Sweetly Solemn Thought."

Rev. Mr. Inkster, in the course of a short eulogy on the late Mr. Ross, said in part:

"You knew his record as a professional man. He taught the youth of this city. They learned well from him, for he loved them, and they still cherish his memory.

"You knew him also as a newspaper man. He gathered the news and published it with a discriminating mind and commented on current events with full information, good judgment and fairness.

"As a public citizen and member of parliament every one recognized him as a generous opponent, a faithful friend and a loyal Canadian.

"We have no right to trespass into the sacred precincts of the sanctuary of the home; but anyone who has eyes to see and a heart to feel must know from the grief there how much he was to his wife and family.

"Many of us knew Duncan Ross best as a friend and perhaps we can best understand why he was such a great success in every sphere of life into which he entered; why he was so much loved and why he is now so much missed.

"When I got word of his tragic death, half an hour after I had waved him good-bye, I was stunned. I felt that a great gap had been made in my world of friendship. He was one of the very best companions I have ever met—I shall miss him."

Among those present at the church and who went out to the cemetery were: Hon. T. W. Patterson, Senator Riley, Hon. J. A. Macdonald, chief justice of the court of appeal; Hon. W. A. Galt, of the court of appeal; John W. Stewart, president of the Pacific Great Eastern railway; D'Arcy Tate, K. C. vice-president; Patrick Welch, contractor for the building of the line; Hon. W. R. Ross, Hon. Thos. Taylor, Hon. F. B. Gregory and Mrs. Gregory, Charles Hayward, Duncan E. Campbell, Alex. Wilson, L. U. Conyers, R. W. Douglas, Ald. George Bell, Henry C. Hall, Ald. McNeill, Ald. McCandless, W. G. Cameron, Frank Sehl, R. W. Perry, Frank A. Bennett, Dr. Lewis Hall, H. E. Beasley, Dr. R. L. Fraser, Judge Lampman, H. E. A. Courtney, John Ross, Edmonton; James Forman, J. W. Amery, J. D. Virtue, Richard Hall, W. P. Allen, Lester Patrick, J. A. Mara, W. C. Moresby, William McCarter, Michael Carlin, Sol. Cameron, William Humphrey, A. D. Macfarlane, A. L. Connors, William Wilson, John L. Beckwith, Thornton Fell, K. C.; Andrew Fairfull, R. L. Drury, M. B. Jackson, Thomas J. Burnes.

The pallbearers were Joshua Kingham, G. A. Porter, E. C. Nicholas, John Hart, F. A. Winslow and H. A. Munn. The floral tributes were unusually beautiful and were many, some of them being from friends at a distance. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery.

Paper Refused Admission.—Chief Langley has been advised by Col. A. P. Sherwood, Ottawa, chief of the Dominion police, that the Lincoln Fire Presse, published at Lincoln, Nebraska, which happens to be William Jennings Bryan's home town, has been prohibited from circulation in Canada.

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WHEREAS the Honorable the Chief Justice, by order dated the 13th day of April, 1915, did sanction an arrangement agreed to by the unsecured creditors of the B. C. Hardware Co., Ltd., of Victoria, B. C., whereby a committee of inspectors was appointed to superintend the management and conduct of the said Company's business, and further authorized the said committee, by unanimous agreement, to effect a sale of the business and assets of the Company at such price and terms as they considered advisable.

TAKE NOTICE, therefore, that tenders in writing will be received by the undersigned, on behalf of the said committee, for the purchase of the stock-in-trade of the said Company.

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WOULD-BE ASSASSIN SUFFERS COLLAPSE

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Dr. Guy Cleghorn, the jail physician, was summoned early to Holt's cell. The physician examined Holt thoroughly and found that his injuries were graver than at first thought. Extreme weakness seemed to be the chief feature of Holt's indisposition. This was due, Dr. Cleghorn said, to a great quantity of blood which Holt had lost from the wound over his eye. Two stitches had been taken in this wound, but the flow of blood was not checked entirely. When the wound was dressed to-day it still had a tendency to bleed. In addition Holt sustained a black eye, his shoulder was wrenched severely and he was struck a powerful blow in the stomach which left a mark that had turned black and blue.

"Holt is very sick," Dr. Cleghorn said, "sick physically and mentally. He apparently is exhausted and is unable to answer questions."

Sheriff Griffenhagen, of New York county, came here to-day to question the prisoner. He stayed only a short time in Holt's cell. When he left the jail, Sheriff Griffenhagen said that he did not see how Holt could be taken into court next Wednesday, the day to which his examination was adjourned last Saturday.

One of the things that Sheriff Griffenhagen wanted to clear up if possible was whether Holt had been involved in the alleged murder of Mrs. Enrich Muentner in 1906. Muentner disappeared from Harvard university after his wife died. It was charged, of poisoning. He was never found. Former acquaintances of Muentner in Chicago have asserted that pictures of Holt showed marked resemblance to the man they knew as Muentner. These pictures of Holt, taken after the shooting of Mr. Morgan, showed him with a bandage over his head, and this, it was said, somewhat handicapped their efforts to identify him positively.

There were also, it was said, many striking similarities in the known history of Holt and that of Muentner, and in addition many points yet to be told the police about Holt's life. One of these points, it was said, related to Holt's whereabouts in 1906, the year of the alleged murder.

EXPLAINS WORK OF PATRIOTIC AID

Large Number of Families Have Been Assisted During Past Few Months

That the demand on the provincial branch of the Canadian Patriotic Aid fund will reach \$40,000 per month by December is the estimate made by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Barnard, chairman of the branch. The statement was made in connection with a report of the work of the organization in British Columbia, the following figures given by his honor being interesting:

Approximate amounts collected to May 31 by the provincial branch (exclusive of the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society) \$33,901.04
Victoria Patriotic Aid Society (mainly for Canadian Patriotic fund) 116,000.00
Remitted direct to Ottawa from contributors within this province 29,821.32
British Columbia's proportion of amounts contributed by banking houses, insurance and other large enterprises paid in from the head offices to the central fund is not included. Vancouver Citizens' War Relief fund 137,453.02
Amount paid out to dependents to 31st of May has been: Vancouver \$65,439.72
Victoria Patriotic Aid Socy. 34,960.29
Provincial Branch 32,595.71
Total \$132,995.72

The amount paid out for the month of May was \$24,782.32. This will probably increase with the new recruiting until by December the monthly demand will be at least at the rate of \$40,000 per month. The number of families receiving assistance for the month of May was: Vancouver, 854; Victoria, 380; other parts of the province, 275; total, 1,509 families.

It is noted that the cities of New Westminster and Kamloops have local relief funds not affiliated with the Canadian Patriotic fund, and are at present supporting the families of soldiers residing in those cities.

"The fund was organized at the instance of His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, shortly after the war broke out," explained Mr. Barnard. "The objects were set forth in an appeal by His Royal Highness to create a fund for the relief of the dependents of the brave men who volunteered for active service at home and abroad. A Provincial branch was formed in British Columbia and an active campaign for funds started. Branches were formed all through the province, with collecting and relief committees. Recruiting and the enlistment of married men for overseas services were no doubt augmented by the knowledge of its activities and the protection promised for dependents of those fighting the nation's battles, each province, despite the fact that the fund is a national one, having put forth an effort to collect sufficient within its boundaries to meet the demands of dependents of those volunteering from the province."

"British Columbia has been successful, so far, in this respect. But if the war lasts longer than at first anticipated more money will be required to bear up our proportion of the contributions. Where large contributions have been made by banking, railway, insurance and other corporations, a share of the amount has been credited as having been collected within the province, but is not included in the figures quoted above."

"The Victoria Patriotic Aid Fund has been operated ably under the management of R. H. Swinerton, the honorary secretary. He has not only provided an office without charge, but has devoted practically the whole of his valuable time to the work, without remuneration, the expenses connected with the cost of printing, stationery, light, fuel, and two assistants amounting during the nine months' operation to less than \$2,500. In Vancouver the city officials and a volunteer committee have been equally successful. The fund prior to its affiliation with the Canadian Patriotic Fund. The expenses of the administration of the Provincial branch for eight months have been \$796.51, under the able supervision of W. J. Goepel, deputy minister of finance, who is the honorary secretary. The sum mentioned does not include office rent, postage or stationery. Room 7, parliament buildings, being the office headquarters, and the cost of postage and stationery being borne by the Provincial government."

Sir Herbert Amos secretary of the fund at headquarters has stated that the expenses of administering the fund

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throughout Canada have been covered by the interest allowed by the banks upon the balances on deposit.

All branches are being urged to try and secure new subscribers. "A comparatively small proportion of the community" said Mr. Barnard "are contributing to this very important and necessary fund. Some sections of the province, from which one would expect good subscriptions have responded very poorly, other and poorer districts having come forward nobly. The same who can afford it best are giving the least. Many who can ill-spare donations are straining their resources to make their monthly contributions. Many who are loudest in expressions of patriotism are the last to put their fervid loyalty to any practical test. Everyone can help by offering their services to some charitable or patriotic organization."

His honor expressed his appreciation of the work of the Daughters of the Empire and other ladies who had devoted so much time and service on relief committees. Members on committees of the branch associations throughout the province had also given noble service in secretarial and other work done without remuneration. Members on committees had also given much time to the investigation of claims.

The famous author, Mr. Israel Zangwill, was the guest of the committee when a lady passenger, who recognized him, thinking to be particularly agreeable, said: "Oh, Mr. Zangwill, I have read one of your books six times!" "Madam," replied the author gravely, "I would much rather you had bought six copies!"

A farm girl was milking a cow when a mad bull tore across the meadow towards her. The girl did not stir, but continued milking. Observers who had run into safety saw to their astonishment that the bull stopped dead within a few yards of the girl, turned round, and went away sadly. "Weren't you afraid? Why didn't you run away?" asked every one. "He was scared," said the girl. "This cow is his mother-in-law!"

ENEMY ADMITS BOTH WINGS ARE HOLDING

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ubs, with bombardment of several places. Little damage has been done by the Austrians.

Russian-Terrific losses inflicted on the Germans between the Bug and the Wiprz rivers in Poland in a three-day battle which still is raging. General Irmannoff is reported to have fallen back from the Gnila Lipa, but the Russian line is declared to be unbroken still and no fears are expressed for the safety of Warsaw or the fortress of Ivangorod.

German and Austrian-Berlin, and Vienna reports coincide regarding the invasion of Poland. They agree that the Slavs are holding well on their wings, but assert that a great advance by von Mackenzie near Krasnik is being planned. The Russians have retreated from the Gnila Lipa after a hard fight. Germanic sources chronicle the capture of many prisoners and much war material, but make no mention of ammunition taken. Vienna declares that the Italians have been repulsed west of Tolmein. Berlin claims successes in the Argonne, with hot artillery actions near Neuport, on the Belgian front. Attacks by airmen on the German front are mentioned, but no claims of specific damage are made.

Italian-Steady though not sensational advances along both the Trentino and the Isongo fronts are announced by the Italians. Rome declares that Tolmein is strongly held and that the reduction of the fortress of Malborgeth is being pushed firmly and slowly. There is grave dissatisfaction regarding the activities of Montenegro, Serbia and Greece in Albania and the Italian minister at Durazzo is reported to be on the way to Rome to confer regarding the capture of that city by two Serbian regiments.

Our July Sale News For Tuesday

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Silk Poplin and Failles in all wanted colors, 40 in. wide. Reg. \$1.75. Sale price, yard, \$1.25
Fine Messaline Silk, in all colors, 36 in. wide. Reg. \$1.00 yard. Sale price, per yard, 85¢

Sale of Modart Corsets

This make requires no comment — its superior qualities are well known. A few odd lines have been grouped and reduced to one small price. Reg. values, \$5.00 to \$13.50. July Sale, pair \$3.65

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Smart Sport Coats, in a variety of popular colors and styles. July Sale price \$5.75
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Combinations, cotton lisle, plain or porous knit, short or no sleeves, tight or loose knee. Reg. 65¢. July Sale price 50¢
Combinations of silk lisle, with or without sleeves, umbrella knee edged with lace. Reg. \$1.00 to \$1.75 values. July Sale price 85¢
Plain Silk and Swiss Rib Silk Combinations, no sleeves, tight and loose knee; edged with silk braid. Reg. values \$5.00 and \$7.00. July Sale prices, \$3.85 and \$4.85
Vests, low cut, with fancy lace yoke, with or without sleeves—Reg. values 65¢ and 75¢. July Sale 50¢
Reg. value \$1.00. July Sale 65¢

Summery Cotton Dress Fabrics

English Crepes, 28 in. wide. Reg. 35¢ yard. July Sale price, yard 25¢
Plaid and Check Crepe, 28 in. wide. Reg. 35¢ yard. July Sale price, yard 20¢
Voiles, pink, sky, green, lavender, 40 in. wide. Reg. \$1.00 yard. July Sale price, yard 75¢
Embroidered Organdie. Reg. 50¢ yard. July Sale price, yard 40¢
Fancy Crepe, white with colored embroidered motifs. Reg. 50¢ yard. July Sale, yard 40¢
Mercerized Muslin, flowered design, 40 in. wide. Reg. 40¢ yard. July Sale price, yard 30¢
English Crepe. Reg. 50¢ yard. July Sale price, yard 37½¢
Striped and Plain Voiles, 45 in. wide. Reg. 50¢ yard. July Sale price, yard 35¢
Brocade Ratine, 42 in. wide. Reg. 65¢ yard. July Sale price, yard 50¢
Crocodile Muslin, slightly damaged. Reg. \$1.00 yard. July Sale price, yard 50¢

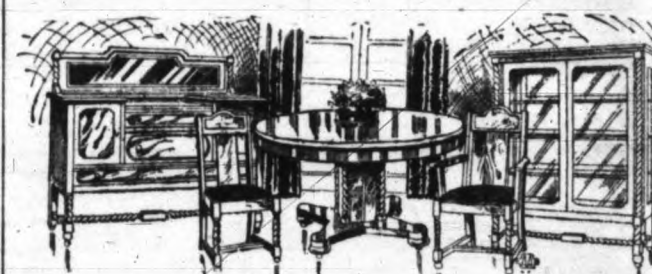
UNEMPLOYED HOLD BIG MASS MEETING

Voted Almost Unanimously Against Resolutions Submitted; Secretary Resigns

Through the efforts of the Victoria Unemployed league a public meeting was held last evening at the Princess theatre. Spencer Howland presiding, when a series of resolutions were submitted with a view to the solution of the problem of unemployment. The meeting, almost without a dissenting voice, voted against the resolutions. In consequence the unemployed of the city of Victoria are now on record as being against the following principles or legislation: The abolition of private employment agencies. The establishment of government controlled labor exchanges. The establishment of a general eight-hour day throughout the Dominion. The abolition of child labor. A minimum wage scale throughout Canada.

Amendments to the emigration laws with a view to prevent the settlement in Canada of alien populations such as Chinese. Protection of the worker during the period of the war against distress for rent, foreclosure on mortgage, etc. Women's suffrage. The enlargement of the forces for home defence so that those of the unemployed may be trained and engaged in the protection of railroads, factories, crops and general industry of the country, thereby releasing for active service at the front those now engaged in this work.

The using of those men of this reserve not required for these duties for the purpose of clearing land and in the utilization of the food fishes of the country which will be otherwise wasted during the present fishing season. No action was taken on F. Webb's suggestion that the government assume control of all iron deposits in British Columbia and establish a smelter as a



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On account of the action taken by the unemployed, Spencer Howland has resigned his position as secretary of the league.

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"Hullo! Jackson, why are you looking so glum?" "Well, to tell you the truth, I gave my wife a fiver, to pay a bill for 15s. and, well—er—" "Oh, I know," said Isaacson. "I've had some. You can't get the change." "That's just it," replied Jacobson. "You see she's gone to Brighton for it."